

THE WEATHER		
	Max.	Min.
May 4	77	39
May 5	73	44
May 6	75	45
May 7	72	39
May 8	72	39
May 9	78	40
May 10	85	42

# THE VERNON NEWS

THE LEADING JOURNAL OF THE FAMOUS OKANAGAN VALLEY

HOURS OF SUNSHINE		
	May	June
May 1	13.5	12.1
May 2	12.1	9.4
May 3	9.4	12.1
May 4	12.1	13.0
May 5	13.0	12.6
May 6	12.6	18.7
May 7	18.7	
Total Hours	78.9	

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## Ten Years of Drastic Retrenchment Necessary to Win Peace, Happiness, Security: Declares Major H. Brown

President Vancouver Board of Trade Urges Departure From Present Political Atmosphere

"That the time for inter-continental unity, with its cross-fire of eloquent parliamentary epithets suggestive of a Gilbert and Sullivan light opera, is dead and buried; and that the grave financial crisis in which the people, particularly of this province, find themselves, must necessitate a greatly altered attitude toward governmental administration; such were the key-notes of an eloquently delivered address by Major Harold Brown, President of the Vancouver Board of Trade, before the crowded luncheon gathering of the Rotary Club on Monday.

Describing present-day conditions as an "incalculable situation," he declared that ahead there may lie a more serious test of endurance, particularly from the international standpoint, than has ever yet been known. With emphasis on the other hand, he dwelt upon the potentialities of the Dominion, and of British Columbia, stating that "the earning and spending power of our province is not as thread-bare as many think," and that the immediate future, particularly as regards the outcome of the Imperial Economic Conference, may initiate a return to prosperous progress.

Co-related, however, with all his remarks was the repeated stress laid upon the extraordinary need for a practical-minded governing body, and the elimination of the evils of partisan party politics.

Conditions Appeal to All  
"Conditions are such," he declared, "that they must appeal to every man, woman, and child in the province."

The situation basically is such, he pointed out, that with "concentrated foresight this would be one of the most delectable countries to live in," and yet statistics as regards per capita costs of government for B.C. are staggering.

Per capita debt charges for B.C. are \$9.97, as compared to \$6.55 as the figure for Alberta; next highest, \$2.83 for Ontario; and only 85 cents for Quebec.

For legislative expense and general costs—British Columbians pay \$6.65 per capita, while in Alberta, where the figure is next highest, the comparative cost is only \$2.83.

Gross total costs take a per capita levy from this province which amounts to \$43.10. In Alberta, where the figure is next highest, it amounts to only \$22.83.

The speaker explained that the last budget of the Legislature estimates expenditure at about 25 million dollars; and yet, he said, "during the seven best years in the history of this province the revenue only averaged about 23 million dollars."

"In addition, there is no provision for unemployment," he continued, "which is not merely a contingency, but a most clearly defined prospect that the treasury must face."

"In face of this situation what can be done?" asked Major Brown. There are only two courses, he stated. Either a policy of bold and relentless cutting down of expenditure must be effected, or else the taxes must be still further increased.

With regard to the latter policy he remarked that "the science of taxation shows us that a point of equilibrium exists, beyond which the levy cannot go."

"The chief barrier to a policy of reduction in expenditure, is the evil of patronage and caucus control," he declared, "which have involved us all in expenditure, without purpose, and it must be remembered that we are all in the boat. We urged a lot of this, and our plaudits came back from the gallery. Now we must steadfastly look to the future, realizing that nothing can be recalled, and we must be determined to effect a change in administrative methods."

"Treading through this quagmire our greatest need is a practical administration, with the partisan spirit forever left behind."

"You might as well imagine the board of the Canadian Pacific Railway divided into partisan camps. The outcome would be ridiculous and disastrous."

"It must be remembered," he continued, "that there are no longer any great national and international differences that rend the country apart, making it necessary to continue the party struggles in political life, which have proved so costly."

He stated that he had no faith in coalition proposals.

As one tangible reform, Major Brown advocated a cut in representation.

"Such a policy may, in the first place, appear to work an injustice to a real particular section," he said, "but in the long run overweighs gains."

"Parliamentary prestige must be maintained, if it can be maintained, but we are all awakening to the need of something which present day parliamentary methods cannot satisfy."

Commenting on the large proportion of society, with the disloyalty and disruption, (Continued on Page 4, Col. 5)

### Convincing Speaker



MAJOR HAROLD BROWN  
Whose addresses on business government were well received in Okanagan

## INCREASED SALES WILL RESULT FROM NEW LOWER RATES

Associated Assists In Securing 60c Reduction On Berries and Cherries

Increased movement for cherries and berries during the coming season is seen through a reduction in express rates granted by the Canadian express companies.

The present rates from Pacific Coast and Okanagan Valley points, to Port William, Ont., is \$3.00 per hundred pounds; to North Bay, Ont., \$4.00, and to Toronto, Ont., and Montreal, Que., \$4.60.

The first two rates remain the same but to the big eastern centres the rate has been reduced to \$4.00.

The reduction is effective on and after May 15 and amounts to about 12c a crate. The negotiations were carried out by the Associated Growers and some of the berry growers at the Coast were concluded on May 6.

## CABBAGE ACREAGE SHOWS INCREASE

Also More Onions With About Same Total of Tomatoes—Scarcity Head Lettuce

Although the thermometer hovered about the danger line no frost was reported on Tuesday night from any point in the Valley where seasonal crops might be damaged.

Local markets show the scarcity of head lettuce since importation from the States to the south has been cut off. Local stuff is not ready and will not be for some time, reports indicate.

Production from the Coast will, this year, be later than the Okanagan. Many favored seed beds there were under water after Okanagan acreages were planted. Armstrong is expected to produce about the same quantity, or less about the same acreage as a year ago. More cabbage is planted and the indications are that this will be a profitable crop.

Increases in plantings of onions are a general report as high as 15 to 20 per cent, being said to have been secured in some localities. The total tomato acreage is not expected to exceed last year although at Kelowna where there was a marked decrease in 1931 from 1930 levels, it is now anticipated there will be a 20 per cent, larger acreage.

Two wine manufacturers visited Kelowna during the past week, no doubt to keep in touch with the development of the wine industry in the Valley. The Domestic Wines & By-Products Co. is reported to have disposed of its stock and when the export arrives from Italy exports to start. This will probably be in about six weeks' time.

Assessing Growers have closed McIntosh pools and those on Stayman Whinney and Whinney. It is stated that the sum paid is not important because of the system of advance payments adopted during the past couple of years. It is expected to close all pools before the end of the month.

## BRAZILIAN MARKET IS NOW OPEN TO CANADIAN APPLES

Duty of 40c A Box Previously Levied Was Withdrawn On May 6

Canadian fresh fruits, including apples, now have duty free access to the Brazilian market. Imports from Canada have had to pay a duty of 40c a box which was withdrawn from the United States market to Canadian apples.

A treaty embodying this provision, was negotiated about a year ago but until May 6 its provisions were inoperative.

Under the present arrangement, Canada has no advantage over the United States but the disadvantage we previously worked under has been removed. The shipping service is excellent, according to shipping agencies, and it is said that the apple which is chiefly in demand in Brazil is the large size Delicious.

It provides another avenue through which the Canadian producer can get to a market.

## Good Prospects Irrigation Water

On Wednesday At Noon, Aberdeen Lake Held 3,200 Acre Feet and Haddo Lake 2,000 Acre Feet—Bright Outlook For Continuance of Flood Water Rating For Some Time On Many Parts of System

Very satisfactory run-off conditions are indicated in the Vernon Irrigation District's main reservoirs. At noon on Wednesday Aberdeen Lake held 3,200 acre feet and Haddo Lake 2,000 acre feet.

On the face of it there seems to be a fair prospect that flood water rating, which is now in force over the whole distribution system, will continue for some time. Last year and also in 1930 it was rendered necessary, by abnormal drought, not only to cancel flood rating and go into storage as from the beginning of those seasons, but to maintain a rigid rationing of water supply as well.

As long as the flow in the distribution ditches can be kept above requisite minimum requirements, there will be flood water rating for all lands under ditches fed from Grey Canal, South canal, North ditch, Walker ditch, Abbotfield ditch, King Edward ditch and Goose Lake West lateral.

A report upon the content of King Edward lake dam will be available this week end and it is hoped that a good storage has been made.

Coldstream creek's flow is quite satisfactory.

## SOLICITED FUNDS FOR PROSECUTING CLAIM BY INDIAN

Novel Conviction Is Followed By Confession And Remission

What is believed to be the first prosecution in the Interior under that section of the Indian Act which prohibits Indians from soliciting funds for prosecution of their claims before the courts was heard before Magistrate Reggie in this city on Monday. Joe Abel, of the reserve at the head of Okanagan Lake, being found guilty.

James Coleman, Indian agent for this district, points out that any Indian can appeal to the Agent, or above him to the Provincial Inspector, if need be. The Indian is fully protected, and in order to have his claims represented he need go to no expense whatsoever.

The practice of soliciting funds from the members of a band, permitted in times past, led to the formation of a fund which supported lawyers in their efforts to carry certain futile claims made by the Indians to out-landish limits. The result, in effect, was that it actually worked an injustice in the long run on the Indians themselves, and an amendment to the Indian Act was introduced some years ago forbidding the soliciting of funds for such a purpose.

The prosecution against Abel was conducted by Constable Garnett of the R.C.M.P., and at the hearing on Monday, Abel denied that he had solicited for funds. He was defended by E. M. Lader, of Kamloops.

The accused was found guilty and fined \$50 or alternatively sentenced to thirty days imprisonment.

He was held in custody pending payment of the fine, and on Tuesday again appeared before Magistrate Reggie, volunteering the confession that he actually had solicited funds as alleged.

With the consent of the prosecution His Worship then remitted the fine, and ordered Abel to appear before the band to give a complete explanation of the court's action.

The city was crowded with Indians on Monday, who attended the afternoon trial.

## MARKETS BULLETIN AS PREVIOUS TO 1931 IS PLANNED

To Be Issued On Tuesdays From Vernon, Containing Latest News

That he plans to be in Vernon not later than the first of August to open the Markets Bureau and to issue a bulletin from a markets bulletin on the lines of the one issued from the Calgary office, in the years previous to 1931, is the statement by J. A. Grant, Markets Commissioner, now in the city from Victoria.

The bulletin will be issued for the information of the growers and it will be published on Tuesday.

Publication in the Okanagan Valley will permit the dissemination of the very latest news. Mr. Grant will very often be on the Prairies and the staff in the office in the Court House will prepare the bulletin.

## COUNTRY LIFE TO PRINT THE DATA REGARDING FRUITS

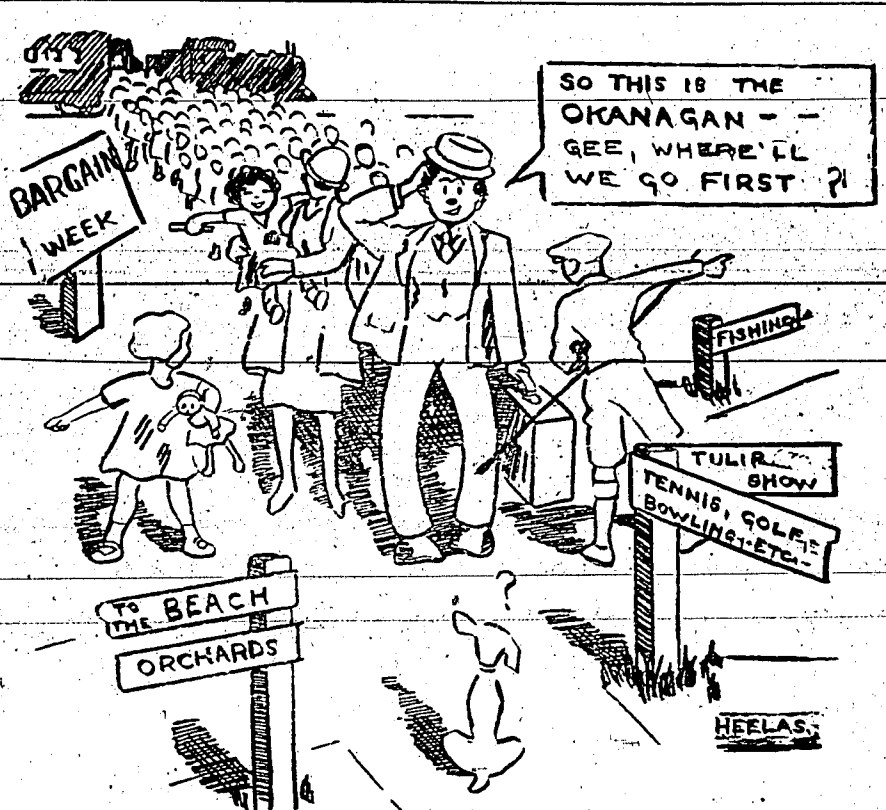
Which Will Be Used By Economists, Experts and Empire Statesmen

Data which will be assembled by the committee of which E. J. Chambers is chairman in consultation with officials of the Dominion and Provincial Government officials, will be the basis on which the British Columbia fruit and vegetable growers to the Imperial Economic Conference.

When the data has been compiled, Country Life in B.C. has been selected as the medium through which it will be given authoritative publicity.

Two hundred and fifty bound copies in two colors, on special stock will be printed for distribution among the economists, experts and Empire statesmen who will be directly interested in the proposals regarding fruits and vegetables.

## Welcome Strangers



## Lots of Money in the Okanagan

Markets Commissioner Sees Profitable Years Ahead

"There will be more money in Vernon and in other Okanagan Valley cities this fall than there has been in any autumn for the past 10 years," stated J. A. Grant, Markets Commissioner, now in Vernon preparatory to the 1932 operations which will cause him to divide his time largely between Okanagan Valley and Prairie points. Mr. Grant's long experience qualifies him to speak as an expert on this subject.

Indications are there will be a record crop of stone fruits, said Mr. Grant, with better prices in sight than at any time during the 15 years he has been connected with this branch of the service. There never was so good an outlook with the outlook greater than the supply.

Establishment of fair market values by the Dominion Government, is given by Mr. Grant as one of the prime reasons for this.

Mr. Grant states that in his opinion there will not be enough of most of the vegetables to supply the demands. We will however produce too many potatoes and too many tomatoes, with an abundant market for other vegetables.

With an Imperial Preference of 50c to 60c a box on our apples they can be sold at a profit no matter what price the United States apples move at."

## ISAACS PLAN FOR FRUIT INDUSTRY BEING DISCUSSED

Committee Approved By B.C.F. G.A. Making Serious Study of Proposals

The committee named by D. Godfrey Isaacs to suggest a means for working out the plan he outlined at the meeting of the B.C.F.G.A. for the re-organization of the Okanagan fruit industry, held its first meeting on Friday afternoon. The committee as named by Mr. Isaacs and approved by the B.C.F.G.A. executive is D. Godfrey Isaacs, Chairman, George A. Barrat, Kelowna; Morris Middleton, A. C. Lander and W. S. Harris, Vernon.

At the initial meeting there was examination of the premises and a general discussion of the proposals. Morris Middleton was elected chairman and D. Godfrey Isaacs, secretary.

A second meeting was arranged for Tuesday night.

Consideration of a proposed constitution and by-laws at the meeting on Tuesday night disclosed, the fact that Mr. Isaacs' original proposals for a salary elected President with a salary and mobile board of directors is being closely followed; that it is not proposed to fix any limitation on the number of shippers; that there shall be two divisions, a headquarters and locals, locals to make recommendations and headquarters to make the final decision.

Centralization of the export trade outside the Dominion to Great Britain to be handled by a subsidiary branch, after the members of the association have approved.

Financing of the projected association is to be by a per box levy to be deducted by the shipping agencies and the association has to prepare a budget each year so that the levy may be adequate and be intelligently made.

One of the most important features of the proposal is a uniform contract which every shipper and every grower shall be asked to sign. A hurriedly prepared summary was presented for consideration on Tuesday but was not up for discussion. Probably it will be the chief item on the agenda of the meeting called for Thursday afternoon, May 19.

All matters which the committee is considering are tentative and will be given into more thoroughly once the general structure has been set up for more critical analysis. When the committee reaches agreement and is ready to report, this will be presented at a meeting of the B.C.F.G.A. and vital steps affecting its final acceptance or failure will then be undertaken. At that time it is expected that thorough consideration and examination will prove it worthy of a trial, amendment, or of total disappearance.

## REV. A. K. McMINN ACCEPTS CALL TO ALBERTA CHURCH

Well Known Kelowna Minister To Commence Pastorate At Lethbridge On July 1

KELOWNA, B.C., May 9.—The Rev. A. K. McMinn, minister of the United Church here, has received a call from the Wesley United Church in Lethbridge. This call the Rev. Mr. McMinn has decided to accept and he will take over his new charge on July 1 next.

Though he has received various other calls during his six years' stay in Kelowna, this is the first he considered.

Departure of the Rev. A. K. and Mrs. McMinn will be generally regretted as under his ministry marked progress has been noted.

They spent a portion of Friday and Saturday morning with Mr. Pout in the Vernon store, and on Saturday afternoon he drove them to Penticton enroute to Nelson. They stated they were very much impressed with the Okanagan Valley. It was Mr. Chester's first trip through the Okanagan and it is 27 years since Mr. Allan had that experience. They were delighted with the climate, the beauty and the possibilities. Mr. Allan noted many changes since he was here before.

## Fruit Industry To Present Case

E. J. Chambers Selected To Attend Imperial Economic Conference As Representative of B.C. Industry—Securing of Finances Is Entrusted To Committee—Specific Duty Favored Rather Than Quota Idea

That the British Columbia fruit and vegetable industries must have representation at the Imperial Economic Conference and that E. J. Chambers is the man to give the industries the representation they need, is the decision of the Agricultural Products Committee, named in consultation with the Provincial government. The meeting was held in the Association of Growers' hall, on Tuesday afternoon, under the chairmanship of Mr. Chambers.

Decision was unanimous that there must be thorough preparation of the case for a preference on Canadian fruits; the ablest representation at the negotiations which will precede and probably be co-incident with the sessions of the Conference; and in the selection of Mr. Chambers. The question of finances is difficult and a committee of four has been selected to arrange for them. It is all the more complicated because it is not known how much the cost will be, the uncertainty being due to the unknown length of time it may be necessary to be in attendance at the deliberations in Ottawa.

Present at Meeting  
Present at the meeting to the committee were: E. J. Chambers, R. G. L. Clarke, R. H. MacDonald, W. H. Robertson, V. B. Robinson, G. A. Barrat, G. O. Nesbitt, J. A. Grant, Major M. V. McGuire, Secretary, and W. S. Harris. Hugh Dalton and H. Beech were unable to attend.

In discussing the situation, Mr. Chambers expressed the opinion that previous to the formal deliberations at the conference, it will be advisable for Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, and other fruit producing sections of the Empire to examine the situation and if possible to reach an agreement for close co-operation. He read some correspondence received from South Africa and New Zealand. The communication from the latter dominion disclosed the fact that they appear to favor a quota system rather than a tariff.

Specific Duty Favored  
Preference for a specific duty was expressed by Mr. Chambers on the grounds that it does not penalize the British consumers at a time when the dominions have nothing to sell, and because it is not subject to examination by the Tariff Commission. A specific duty of 10 per cent, after discussion, the members of the committee agreed that they should favor a specific duty.

It was declared that a quota gives no incentive to increase production, and is not workable.

How to get representation at the Conference and the extent to which trade delegates will participate, is at present unknown. The British Columbia government will assist by having a Cabinet Minister at the Conference, and he is expected to afford the widest possible support for those competent to present the case for the various industries looking for export outlets.

Committee to Raise Funds  
The decision to be represented was quickly followed by the election of Mr. Chambers, already a member of the committee of three appointed by the Canadian Horticultural Council.

It was felt that it would prove impossible to get the necessary money from the government and that the Horticultural Council will not have funds available, so Messrs. Nesbitt, McGuire, Chambers and R. H. MacDonald were asked to gather the shewers of war.

The amount of the duty to be asked was considered. The New Zealand treaty sets a precedent of 40c a box. Apple growers in the old country were said to be getting a five shillings a gross hundred pounds. It was stated that there has been a radical change in the ideas of the British people. They (Continued on Page 6, Col. 4)

## EXCURSIONISTS TO BE VERY WELCOME

Folder To Be Distributed On Trains, Points Out Some Attractions

A hearty welcome to Vernon is the intimation on the cover of a card folder, to be distributed to all passengers of the "coach" excursion from Vancouver into the Okanagan Valley, on leaving Vancouver next Friday night.

The folder which can not easily be crumpled and thrown on the floor, calls to the attention of the visitors to Valley points, the fact that at Vernon they may have free use of the facilities at the Country Club at Kalamalka Lake, the bowling green in Polson park, the Golf links and the courts of the Vernon Tennis club. They are also reminded that they are invited to visit without cost, the Tulip show in the Scout Hall, and that no doubt for a small consideration any of the taxi drivers will take them on a beautiful drive through the blooming orchards.

If the visitors have the hardihood of local residents they may enjoy a swim in the tepid waters of Kalamalka lake in the bathing beach. A large number of local people enjoyed a dip on Sunday. The more youthful swimmers positively declared that the water was not cold, not after the first ducking.

The folder was conceived in the fertile brain of Capt. Coombes, Secretary of the Vernon Board of Trade, and was made possible by the enterprise of National, Kalamalka, Coldstream and Vernon hotels and the O.K., the National and the Chateau Cafes. The Vernon News did the printing.

## McDOWD IS ACQUITTED

VANCOUVER, B.C., May 12.—John McDowd, colored, charged with murdering his foster daughter by poisoning her last January, was acquitted by an all-size jury Wednesday.

## Butter Grader



A. A. RUFFAM  
Dominion Grader at Work Testing Okanagan Valley Butter

## ANGLERS' LICENSE LAST IMPOSITION SPORTING PUBLIC

Women Are Exempt And So Are Youths Under 18 Years of Age

The long awaited anglers' license forms were received by Game Warden Charles Still on Tuesday, and the dispatch of Isaac Walton must now wait along the dotted line before venturing forth.

Women are exempt, and youths under 18 years of age need not pay the one dollar fee, but all other fishermen must be prepared to show the license form if they are caught with a rod in their hands, states Game Warden Still.

Anticipating the well known practice of transferring licenses from one party to another, the government makes it necessary for the applicant to fill out on the license form a detailed description of himself, as to age, height, weight, color of hair and eyes.



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\$3.95

Women's Gunmetal 1-eyel  
Tie Oxfords, leather Cuban  
heels, Sizes 3 to 8. Pair

\$3.95

Women's Black Kid Ox-  
fords, covered Cuban heels,  
Sizes 4 to 7. Pair

\$4.75

Women's White Kid Pump,  
covered spike heels, Sizes  
1 to 7. Pair

\$4.95

Women's Gunmetal 1-eyel  
Ties, high spike heels,  
Sizes 1 to 7. Pair

\$4.95



Women's Brown Kid  
Pumps, high spike heels,  
Sizes 4 to 7. Pair

\$4.95

Women's Patent Leather  
One-strap, centre buckle,  
leather Cuban heels, Sizes  
1 to 7. Pair

\$3.95

Women's Black Kid and  
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## PEACHLAND HAS SAME MILL RATE

Council Will Levy 32 Mills—  
S.S.B. Accepts \$5,000 Offer  
For Lambly Ranch

PEACHLAND, B.C., May 9.—At the Monday evening meeting of the Council here, three readings were given, by-law 141 providing for a tax rate of 32 mills, 16 mills of this being for general expenses, eight mills for schools and eight for debentures. This is the same tax levy as last year.

A letter was received from the Soldier Settlement Board accepting the \$5,000 offered for the Lambly ranch.

The reeve explained that this offer had been made subject to the approval of the ratepayers. When offered had been asked for on the Lambly ranch a number of ratepayers expressed the opinion that it should be purchased by the municipality. A public meeting was to be called as soon as possible to discuss the advisability of purchase and a vote would be taken on the subject later.

The clerk was instructed to obtain the necessary information as to rate of taxation required to take care of a 20-year bond to finance the purchase, so that it could be put before the public meeting. The recommendations for a roadway in the new cemetery submitted by E. H. Pierce were accepted and are to be acted upon.

Bills were submitted by W. G. Renfrew and Mrs. C. C. Inglis, of \$35 each for land used by the municipality for the fill which took a slice off the properties owned by these two individuals. This matter was left to the property committee to settle.

W. and E. Bradbury interviewed the council personally, submitting an offer of \$150 for the lower McCall lot, \$25 to be paid down, which would constitute payment for this year's taxes and water, and \$50 a year for three years. This offer will be considered by the council later.

Permission was granted to the School Board for the use of the ball park for the school sports.

Some correspondence was read regarding the mothers' pensions, the municipality being called upon to pay half of these from April 1 of this year. The finance committee was instructed to investigate thoroughly the cases receiving mothers' pensions and to report their findings back to the council.

In reply to a request from the Women's Institute for a grant for the up-keep of the War Memorial, \$25 was voted for this purpose. Offers for renting the Wright property and the Crofton and Robins lots were accepted. In reply to an inquiry regarding the unemployment relief money, the municipal clerk stated that over \$700 had been received from the Dominion government and some \$300 from the provincial government for this purpose.

The question of back taxes due on the Hueston and Keating property, both reverted, was referred to the property committee for investigation and report.

## MANY SPORTSMEN VISIT SICAMOUS

Every Available Boat Command-  
eered By Fishermen—Good  
Catches Are Reported

SICAMOUS, B.C., May 9.—The fine weather during the past week end brought many sportsmen to Sicamous to enjoy the fishing. Every available local boat was on the water and good catches reported by all of those who fished.

At Malakwa, on Sunday afternoon, the Eagle Valley Baseball team, composed of players from Soleska, Cambie, Sicamous, and Malakwa, battled against the Revelstoke Intermediate team for six innings, the score at that time being 3-2 for Eagle Valley. Then old man died, stepped into the contest, and the Eagle Valley boys were on the short end at the end of the ninth innings. Score 18-11 for Revelstoke. Batteries, for Revelstoke, McRae and Jones; for Eagle Valley, Eric Holm and Blais.

Arnold Tordoff is at the home of his parents here. During the past year he has been attending Regina Technical School and finished the first year of Electrical Engineering at the head of his class.

Mrs. R. W. Bruhn, accompanied by Miss Bruhn has returned to Victoria after spending the past week at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Roberts and Wilfred McAlester, of Kamloops, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tordoff.

Gerald S. Handcock, of Grindrod, was a visitor here on Saturday.

## GARDEN PARTY IS PLANNED BY ANGELICAN WOMEN

Ice Cream Social In "Straw-  
berry-Time" Will Also Be A  
Feature At Oyama

OYAMA, B.C., May 9.—There was a large attendance of members at the monthly meeting of the Anglican Women's Auxiliary which was held at the home of Mrs. H. Aldred on Thursday last. Much business was done, and arrangements were made for the holding of the annual garden party this summer, also for an ice cream social to be held in "strawberry time." The hostesses were Mrs. Dobson and Mrs. H. Aldred.

Everyone will be glad to know that little Barbara Eyles, who has been so seriously ill in the Kelowna General Hospital, is making good improvement, and it is hoped it will not be long before she will be able to come home again.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hemblin and little daughter, Sydney, spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Hemblin.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Oliver and daughter, Elsie, spent Mr. and Mrs. J. Lowe on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clement and family have moved to Vernon, where they will make their home for the present.

J. Elliott came in from Glenwater last week and spent a few days at his home here.

Mrs. George Ballenger, who has been a patient in the Kelowna General Hospital, returned home on Sunday, and has been ordered to take a complete rest.

The Rev. J. Behm, of Lambly, was a visitor in the district on Monday. The school children are hard at it, three evenings of each week practicing for the Rural School Truck Meet to be held at Pithou on May 23.

## Prepare For Royal Tournament



REHEARSE MUSICAL DRIVE

This photograph shows "J" Battery, Royal Field Artillery, rehearsing the musical drive at Wormwood Scrubs, near London, in preparation for the royal tournament

## Cambrian Forces

The land of Cambria, otherwise known as Wales, has for its natives a race of Celts, with many of the traits generally attributed only to their neighbor Celts, the Scottish people. Among these common traits is the ability to make lovely oatakes. Sad to state, this art has become much rarer in Wales than it used to be. It only remains in the hands of a few farm wives.

There were also, ten years ago, still one or two left of the professional oatake women. These were dab hands at the game, and could usually be hired for the day for the express purpose of making "Bara Celch," which, translated literally means oat bread.

How vividly I can recall those baking days. The tall, gaunt old woman, with her bun of grey hair, that still had a streak of auburn in it. Somehow that streak of auburn helps me to understand how she had come by the indomitable courage that had carried her through life in spite of early widowhood and three fatherless children. I'm afraid I did not in my early youth appreciate these points about her, for her hard life had made her a rather bitter, cynical old dame, with a marked intolerance for any youngsters, whose superfluous energy was worked out in pranks.

Woe was me if she had found out any of my mischief, for the next "Bara Celch" day she would unfailingly depict all she knew to the indignation of my father, prim-didactic ancestors, with dire results for me.

Apart from the tell-tale episodes, I used to dearly love the old woman's coming, not only for the fruits of her labor, but for the sheer interest of the baking proceedings.

First a nice fire was made in the open fireplace in the old kitchen, and the gridiron on its tripod set over it. Then on the scrubbed round wooden table were gathered together a small sack of oatmeal, home-grown and village-ground, the home-made wooden salt box, some small crocks full of dripping, a brown earthenware mixing bowl, a jug, and a rolling pin.

The old woman, very clean in her homespun dress and blue and white checked apron, would roll up her sleeves and proceed with the calm, competent air of your true expert. Into the mixing bowl went a measure of dripping, then a measure of really hot water; this was stirred with a wooden spoon till fat and water were combined; then a pinch of salt; then a heaping cup of oatmeal, a quick stir, and this was turned out on the oatmeal sprinkled table. With quick, deft old hands, she would work it into a shape, press her hand on the apex of the cone and flatten it, scone fashion. Now the rolling pin came in, and east and west, and north and south that rolling pin would fly, till an oatake of a foot diameter, perfectly round, and wafer thin, lay ready for the baking. This she now slipped neatly over the table edge, onto a sort of wooden platter with a handle, and set aside.

This process was repeated till all or some of the ingredients ran out, and then baking began. The heat of the gridiron was tested with a little oatmeal, and if a satisfactory shade of brown, was considered O.K. for business. The now heaped-up wooden platter was held on a level with the surface of the gridiron, presto, the oatake was on it. The same performance was reversed when the turning-over time came. The finished oatake was now stood on edge against a special stand, a little way off from the fire.

I forgot to state that the first lot of oatakes made had the most dripping put into them, and were reserved for tea time use, well buttered. The plain batch of oatake which followed was kept for "browns." For this the oatake was crushed with a wooden rolling pin, and bowls were filled with it, two thirds full, a square piece of bread put on top, and a generous dab of butter on that. Now boiling water to just cover was poured over all, and the bowl covered with a plate. This took the place of porridge at breakfast once in a while, and is truly a delicious dish.

The best oatakes sometimes found

## GIROUARD WATER DISTRICT TO PASS ON NEW DIVERSION

Adjourned Annual Meeting To  
Hear Reports And To  
Ratify Assessment

Girouard Irrigation District has had levels taken from a point on Swan-lake creek behind F. B. Jacques home, to a point on the present flume at the west end of Dr. O. Morris' property with the idea of securing a new point of diversion and of service for some of the water users.

The levels shows there is plenty of fall and that the new plan is quite feasible. Trustees of the system are planning another meeting to consider Engineer Tassie's report. The result of their deliberations will be laid before the adjourned annual meeting which will be called soon to take up this, to ratify the annual assessment and to approve matters deferred from the regular meeting.

## WESTBANK WOMAN GOT OUT WINDOW TO ESCAPE FIRE

Home of Mr. and Mrs. D. A.  
Currie Destroyed In Early  
Morning Blaze

WESTBANK, B.C., May 9.—The community was awakened about 2 a.m. Monday morning by shouts of fire, to find one of Westbank's oldest landmarks ablaze, the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Currie, opposite St. George's Church.

This house was built by the late Wm. G. Hewlett over 22 years ago and was owned by that family until 1920 when they disposed of it to Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Nicol. They in turn sold to Mr. and Mrs. Currie two or three years ago and here the latter have lived since their coming from Lloydminster, Sask.

The sympathy of all the community is extended to the family in their loss, as very little insurance was carried. How the fire originated is a mystery. Mrs. Currie was the first to awaken and got out of an upper window as the fire, by this time had blocked the stairway. Neighbors from far and near were soon on the scene, but as there is no fire protection, could do nothing. Nearby homes, the Shell garage and the store were sprayed with water by the aid of garden hose. The pretty little home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Last, which is almost next door to Currie's, suffered considerable scorching, but the constant play of water from hose saved it from destruction.

## PYTHIANS HOLD BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Treat Surprised By Friends  
On the Occasion Of Her  
Eightieth Birthday

ENDERBY, B.C., May 9.—The quiet of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Treat was broken into on Monday evening by a surprise party of the Pythian Sisters of the local Temple to honor Mrs. Treat, senior, and to wish her many happy returns of the day, it being her eightieth birthday.

Mrs. Treat was the recipient of several bouquets of flowers. A happy evening was spent in social intercourse, music, singing and recitations.

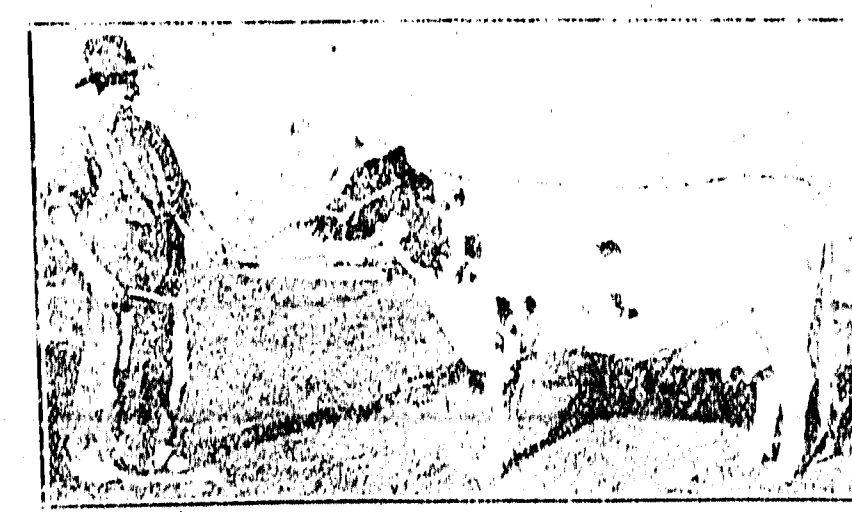
Just before supper was served Mrs. Rand read a poem to Mrs. Treat and Mrs. MacPherson, on behalf of the Temple, presented her with a sheet of white lilies and narcissi.

Mrs. B. Cameron left on Monday morning for a short visit with relatives at the Coast.

their way into my school lunch, and I almost forgave the old oatake maker her little-tattle of me, when my teeth crunched into her really lovely oatake.

I have tried my hand at oatakes myself, and my family even knows and loves "browns" but they are not made in an open fireplace, among the memories of the old, old times.—Valleyette.

## A Wonderful Cow



Sam Halksworth, of Grindrod, shows registered imported Ayrshire heifer of which he is justly proud

## DANCE HELD BY BADMINTON CLUB

Winners Presented With Tro-  
phies Won During Past Sea-  
son at Mara Affair

MARA, B.C., May 9.—A splendid dance was given in the Hall last Friday evening by the Badminton Club, this being a presentation dance. Several clubs from outside points were represented, about 200 people were present, and the "Harmony Boys," of Salmon Arm were in attendance. After supper, the presentation of the badminton cups took place.

Ed Robertson, president of the Mara club, received the A cup for Mara, and Allen Golley, received B and C division cups, for the Grindrod club, after which, dancing was resumed, until the early hours, when everyone left for home having spent a very enjoyable time.

Miss Madge Robertson and Miss Edna Gadden came in from Vernon last Friday to attend the badminton dance here.

Mrs. Fenton, of Salmon Arm, returned to her home on Saturday, having spent a week, looking after the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Day here.

George Stevenson and Alex Shaben left last Friday evening, for Hanna, Alta., to spend several days with friends and relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Crawford and children, of Vancouver, arrived by auto last Friday to visit Mrs. Crawford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Green. Mrs. Crawford and family will stay for several months to try and recover their health, after many months of sickness.

Robert Gray, of Victoria, spent last Friday and Saturday visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gray, returning to Victoria on Saturday evening's train.

John Koski, of Stoney Creek, was a Sunday visitor here, visiting relatives and friends in the district, returning home on Sunday evening.

Most of the Finnish residents, went to Cambie last Saturday evening, where they attended a dance, given in the Finnish Hall by the settlers there.

Mrs. George Darling came in from Tranquille last Friday to visit her mother, Mrs. M. Zettagren, who met with a serious accident last week when she fell and cut her arm severely, and had to receive medical attention. Mrs. Darling left for her home on Saturday's train, taking her mother with her for several days' holiday.

Miss Florence Gadden, of the Vernon Jubilee Hospital staff, was a visitor over the past week end at the home of her mother, Mrs. S. Gadden, returning to Vernon on Sunday evening's train.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Davy and Mrs. J. Fenton were visitors to Vernon last Friday.

Quite a number of Mara people attended the football game on V. H. Stephens' grounds last Sunday afternoon, between camp 1 boys and the Mara boys, the score being 5-0 in favor of camp 1.

Mrs. E. C. Wheeler, who has been very ill for several weeks, is now well on the road to recovery. Her many friends here hope that she will soon be able to be around again.

Canada is the world's biggest producer of smelts, and in the calendar year 1931 the total Canadian landings of these small but very tasty fish amounted nearly to 7,000,000 pounds. The chief producer among the provinces is New Brunswick.

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Choir Leader: Mrs. Daniel Day

Organist: Miss Billa Richmond, A.T.C.M.

Sunday, May 15

Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Conducted by Mrs. C. Campbell Brown

Emmanuel Church

(Anglican Parishes)

Mrs. J. C. Hardy, Pastor

Lord's Day, May 15

11:00 a.m. Morning Worship

Subject: "What I Can Do"

12:00 noon Sunday School and Bible Class

7:00 p.m. Prayer, Praise and Pled

8:00 p.m. B.Y.P.U. Meeting

Mrs. Mary Cook, 29, of Glenora, Del., was buried on the eve of her wedding, her wedding dress being used as her shroud.

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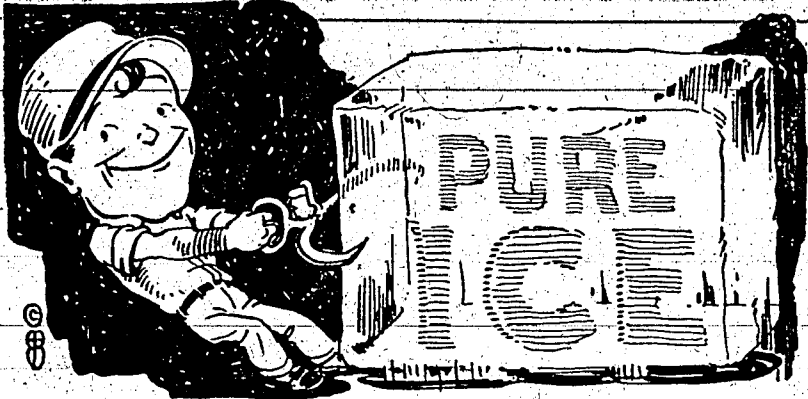
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CONTINUANCE OF  
MARKETING BOARDSExpressed By Passage of Resolution  
At Meeting Called By  
B.C.F.G.A.

Full explanation of the steps taken towards protecting the interests of the fruit and vegetable growers at the Imperial Economic Conference, was made at a meeting of the Vernon and Kelowna branches of the B.C.F.G.A. held in the Board of Trade rooms on Tuesday evening. Growers were conspicuous by their absence. R. H. MacDonald, president, and after an explanation of the situation by himself and E. J. Chambers, there was a considerable discussion between A. D. Heriot, D. Godfrey Isaacs, and C. M. Watson. Operation of marketing boards were approved. The resolution adopted will be forwarded to the adjourned annual meeting of the B.C.F.G.A. to be held at Kelowna on Wednesday, May 18.

Mr. Heriot stated his belief in the advisability of the adoption of the quota system rather than that of a tariff preference.

"Co-operation between all the factors of marketing is essential if Empire co-operation is to be attained," stated A. D. Heriot. In the course of a talk in which he pointed out that "it is not the slightest use to talk of co-operation between the different parts of the Empire if distribution is to remain on an international basis."

"The announcement in the House of Commons that a Dominion marketing board for agricultural products is in the minds of ministers makes the question of preference easier to approach from the co-operative standpoint," he said. "The main issue before the conference is Empire economic co-operation and as far as we are concerned a marketing board for Canada would be a decided step towards such a goal."

Wide and extensive organization is absolutely necessary to combat the surplus evil, Mr. Heriot said, and the proposed marketing board offers such organization.

The co-operation of the distributor should be invited, he declared. "Transportation companies would also be behind the project."

"One may ask if tariffs are the best

economic means of promoting co-operation," continued Mr. Heriot.

"Have tariffs fostered better relations between nations?" he asked. "Free trade within the Empire and tariffs against those without is not a proposition that is likely to be considered. Those who go to the conference with no greater aims than a preferential tariff, may be successful, but with the present costs of transportation and distribution to the British consumer, it is quite likely that everything here would remain the same."

"It needs something more than tariffs to clear the economic skies," Mr. Heriot stated. "There will be bigger ideas than tariffs before the conference and if the principle of mutual co-operation is kept to the fore, the question of quantitative imports by means of the quota will be among the matters that will be thoroughly explored before tariffs are resorted to."

"The chief merit of the quota is that it keeps the foreign surplus out. The quota also brings in the supervision of distribution as to quantity and production as to quality, thus regulating imports and encouraging co-operation for the standardization and steady supply of the product without necessarily raising the price to the consumer. Regulation of imports and the damping back of a surplus would prevent gluts, and by making supply conform more closely with demand, it would perhaps be possible to standardize prices and costs and prevent the tremendous fluctuations which practically fall entirely on the producer."

"The idea of the quota is very popular with the British farmer and consumer and the only people who are raising a shrill cry against quantitative imports and the licensing of distribution are the big middlemen who would prefer tariffs and advise us accordingly because these tariffs would leave them in their present strong position which is becoming a national danger."

Mr. Heriot presented the following resolution:

"That whereas agriculture is the basic industry of the Empire and a prosperous agriculture means prosperous secondary industries;

"Be it resolved that we, the fruit-growers of British Columbia, favor the retention of the Empire Marketing Board, and the establishment of a Dominion Marketing Board, and that in the interests of Empire co-operation, we urge that consideration be given to the regulation of imports by means of the quota."

In 74 instances out of 103, the country's largest city is also the capital.

The Week In  
Review

France has been a whirlwind centre of political upheaval within the past week for in the compass of a few days its President was assassinated, to be succeeded by the President of the Senate, and a new Premier elected.

On Saturday, in his 75th year, Paul Doumer succumbed to bullet wounds, the victim of a crazed Russian assassin who on the preceding day shot him in cold blood as he was opening an exhibition of books by war veterans. Paul Gorguloff, self styled "chief of the Russian Fascists," is declared insane. He will face a charge of first degree murder, and will probably die on the gallows.

Tuesday, on a first ballot, Albert Lebrun was named President, and on the same evening the new President was presented with the resignation of Andre Tardieu, the Premier.

The new Premier is Edouard Herriot, whose party, the Radical Socialists, were swept to power in the second round of general elections on Sunday.

## Canton May Secede

The Chinese Government has definitely abandoned its five-year-old policy of attempting to effect unification by coercion and punitive military campaigns. A government spokesman announced that if Canton wishes to secede and even establish an independent government, the Cantonese will be permitted full freedom of action.

## Wide Powers Granted

The House of Commons took the first step last week to clothe the government with wide powers to combat unemployment. A bill was given first reading which would confer almost blanket power on the ministry until the end of the fiscal year next March. Debate on the resolution which prefaced the introduction of the bill was desultory.

## Allegiance Oath Bill Passes

The Daily Eleanora last Wednesday gave third reading to the Republican government's bill to abolish the oath of allegiance to the British crown as a requisite to tenure of public office in the Free State. The vote was 77 to 67. President Eamon de Valera had wished to push the bill through the senate but final action was delayed until today, Thursday. When it becomes law the measure will remove the oath from the constitution.

## Accidents Take Toll

Forty-five persons were believed to be dead on Monday under landslides which swallowed up two apartment houses—in the outskirts of Lyons, France.

Twelve injured were removed from the debris before rescuers were ordered away by Edouard Herriot, the mayor and new premier, who himself escaped death from another slide only by leaping to safety.

Five hundred persons were killed, including several Europeans, by a hurricane which swept in from the China Sea across the southern tip of the State of Annam last Wednesday.

The coastal town of Phanthiet, some seventy-five miles east of Saigon, capital of French Cochinchina, and the town of Bangoy, thirty miles farther along the coastal railway, appeared to be the worst victims of the storm.

## Japs Agree to Withdraw

The long-delayed agreement to halt hostilities in the Shanghai area, often threatened by the slow working of the Nanking and Tokyo governments, and numerous untoward incidents, was at length signed on Thursday last week, the Japanese agreeing to commence the withdrawal of their troops on the following day, and evacuation to be complete in four weeks' time.

Under the terms of the agreement the Chinese army will remain where it is, leaving a neutral zone some 15 miles in extent between the two forces.

Latest reports are that there are 330 Doukhobors in jail at Nelson. Of these 118 were sentenced to three years in the penitentiary last week, while Peter Veregin, acknowledged leader of the troublesome sect has also been sentenced to three years imprisonment at Yorkton on a perjury charge.

We are determined in British Columbia to settle the Doukhobor problem once and for all," states Attorney General Pooley, "and if need be we are prepared to arrest five or six thousand Doukhobors."

MANION DECLARES  
RAILWAYS HAVE  
BEEN FAST ASLEEPDuring Past Ten Years While  
Buses and Trucks Stole  
Business

OTTAWA, Ont., May 12.—The two railways of Canada have been asleep at the switch for the past ten years in not devising means of competing with buses and trucks, declared Hon. R. J. Manion, Minister of Railways, before the Railway Committee in House of Commons Wednesday night.

POLICE TAKE 41  
DOUKHOBOR BOYS  
FROM NELSON JAILCoquitlam Industrial Home To  
Have Care of These Youth-  
ful Disturbers

NELSON, B.C., May 12.—Police entered Nelson jail Wednesday night and removed 41 Doukhobor boys, placing them on the west bound train. They will be housed in the Coquitlam Industrial Home.

VANCOUVER TO PAY SIX  
PER CENT ON LOANSBankers Notify Industrial Centre  
That Interest Rate Is  
To Be Higher

VANCOUVER, B.C., May 12.—Vancouver's bankers notified the city Wednesday that the interest rate on loans will be increased from 5½ to 6 per cent. The Council deferred decision on accepting terms.

PROVINCE BICYCLE RACE  
AROUND STANLEY PARK  
IS WON BY SID LUCK

VANCOUVER, B.C., May 12.—Sid Luck, Vancouver, captured the annual Province bicycle race around Stanley Park Wednesday night. Lew Tish and Clark Tish, both of Victoria, were second and third respectively.

## Equine Hero of Great War



CELEBRATES 21ST BIRTHDAY

Famous war-horse celebrates "coming-of-age." Warrior, the steed which carried Major-General Seelye right through the great war, escaping death a hundred times, celebrated his 21st birthday on the Isle of Wight a few days ago.

PREFERENCE WILL  
NOT HELP SALES  
OF INFERIOR APPLESE. J. Chambers Warns Against  
Hope of Preference Doing  
the Impossible

"It must be remembered that we cannot expect a preference that will enable us to sell a low-grade product on a higher-grade basis," states E. J. Chambers, President of the Associated Growers of B.C., Ltd., and one of the three members of the committee appointed by the Canadian Horticultural Council to ensure that the fruit and vegetable interests are given necessary consideration at the approaching Imperial Economic Conference at Ottawa. A memorandum which Mr. Chambers has recently prepared on this important topic points out that as far as British Columbia is concerned, and even with a reasonable measure of preference, Great Britain would only take on a favorable basis certain varieties, grades and sizes.

Quantity a Factor  
"When considering the question of interchange of products as between the various units of the Empire," states the memorandum, "a vital factor that arises is the quantity which the various units can provide in any given commodity and the quantity these units can absorb, and in considering this angle of the situation it is necessary to deal with the commodities separately and also the various units of the Empire."

"Dealing with the possibility of apples in Great Britain, the problem as to what quantity of Canadian apples that market can absorb is solved in particular cases as there is no doubt that Great Britain, if sufficient preference is given to place Canadian apple producers in a position where they can successfully compete with the U.S.A., will be able to absorb all the apples suitable for export to that market that Canada can produce for a number of years."

The memorandum then proceeds to point out what may be considered as "suitable for export."

An analysis of the crop handled by the Associated Growers and covering the seasons of 1930 and 1931 has been prepared. As this organization handles slightly over 50 per cent. of the apple production of the interior of B.C., by consolidating these two years' analysis for the two years combined gives a fair indication of what the average of these would be for the whole crop.

Desirable For Export  
Accordingly, varieties which have been segregated as suitable for export are: Wealthy, McIntosh, Cox Orange, Delicious, Grimes Golden, Jonathan, Newtown Pippin, Spitznberg, Stayman Winesap, and Winesap.

The varieties segregated as undesirable for export are: Gravenstein, Snow, Golden Delicious, Northern Spy, Winter Banana, and also a group termed "sturdy early," which is comprised of Astrachan, Duchess, Laveland, Russet, Tetovsk, Yellow Transparent, and other apples, such as: J. H. Stein, Canada Baldwin, Canada Red, Cranberry Pippin, Sutton Beauty, and late varieties such as Arkansas Black, Baldwin, Ben Davis, Golden Russet, King, Salome, and York Imperial.

The total shipments of the Associated Growers for the two years, which for the purposes of the question under consideration is treated as one year's crop, amount to 3,790,511 boxes. Of this total the varieties that were classified as unsuitable for export purposes constitute 633,661 boxes, leaving of the varieties enumerated as suitable for export, 3,156,850 boxes. From this latter total must be taken both sizes and grades which are unsuitable for that market. The division made is Large, Medium and Small. Large is size 1 1/2 and larger; Medium is size 1 1/4 and 1 1/2; Small is size 1 1/8 and smaller.

In the past the dividing line has been as far as exports to Great Britain are concerned, 1 1/4-1 1/2. With a preference on that market it is possible that a certain quantity of 1 1/8s could be used and in the case of Delicious possibly 1 1/4s. This would apply to Extra Fancy and Fancy grades. In the case of C grade apples, exports should be confined pretty well to only the most desirable sizes. Household grade, of course, is unsuitable for export under any consideration.

The memorandum estimates that 1,312,074 boxes would be suitable for export, or 41½ per cent. of the estimated Okanagan Valley crop this season. Orchard growers would also have a bearing on the situation. In the past the grower has looked upon the do-

mestic market as being his primary market, and as far as possible, he has catered to that market. The domestic market has always wanted a medium or large sized apple, from 1 1/2 and larger, so the tendency has been to thin with the idea of having a larger percentage of the crop in that group. If a measure of preference was obtained that would ensure the apple growers of British Columbia of reasonable returns for exports to the British market, the grower could undoubtedly increase the percentage of apples of desirable size by controlling his thinning operations.

As well, there is the possibility of increased production through a more favorable marketing situation. If a favorable export market could be found for 35 per cent. of the B.C. fruit crop, it would place the grower in a position where he could buy fertilizers and by better orchard practices increase production very materially.

The tendency of certain varieties to produce small apples, which naturally increases the percentage that would be available for export. Fortunately this tendency exists in varieties that are suitable for this purpose, such as Cox Orange, Jonathan, Newtown, Winesap.

In addition to the United Kingdom market, there are of course other markets within the Empire that it would be necessary to cater to, principally South Africa, India, New Zealand, and, if the embargo were removed, Australia, and the quantities that these markets would take would have to be deducted from the quantities of satisfactory varieties, grades and sizes suitable for Great Britain, as the demands of these markets are approximately the same in all cases. There are other foreign markets, too, that have been developed that it would not be desirable to drop altogether, but the quantity of these from the sizes and grades enumerated as exportable, would, it is estimated, not amount to more than 10 per cent.

Exportable Quantities  
The estimate of exportable quantities given is based on the supposition that the whole crop will be graded by the growers and shippers, which of course is necessary if the maximum quantities for export are to be obtained. This, however, presents quite a difficulty in view of the fact that certain of the smaller shippers and growers prefer to ship the quantities they have as orchard run bulk which means that apples that should be sold to foreign markets are crowded on to the prairie markets and tend to depress and lower prices. If the preference obtained was sufficient to ensure fairly satisfactory returns, however, it would undoubtedly create a much greater incentive to go to the expense and trouble of packing and grading a greater percentage of the crop than is now being done.

The question of satisfactory export returns goes considerably further than the results that would be obtained on the actual shipments exported. One of the difficulties in the past has been the tendency to overcrowd and demoralize the domestic markets. If a situation could be brought about whereby, as estimated, 34.2 per cent. of the crop was placed of export markets, it would relieve the home market to such an extent that there would be every probability of maintaining it on a reasonable basis. The trouble in the past has been that instead of exporting 35 or 36 per cent. of the crop, there has been a mad scramble to market as big a percentage as possible in the home market, very often with disastrous results.

Canada Makes Sacrifices  
Canada makes sacrifices because of her preferential dealings with the old country, was Mr. Chambers' statement. He reminded the gathering that we are practically barred from the German market which is the second largest import market because of the trade within the Empire activities.

During the discussions it was agreed that there should be thorough examination of what it is possible for the fruits and vegetable industries to buy from Britain and this aspect of the negotiations will be given close scrutiny.

The questionnaire sent out by the Canadian Horticultural Council, was also considered at length and a summary of the questions which are applicable and the answers decided upon appears on page 5.

The central electric station industry in Canada had an investment of \$1,130,200,010 in 1930, the largest investment of any industry, and exceeding by a wide margin the \$714,437,104 in pulp and paper manufacturing.

BEST TRADITIONS  
EASILY UPHELD BY  
UNIVERSITY CLUBIn Presentation of "Alice Sit By  
the Fire" A Whimsical  
Comedy

A large audience at the Scout Hall on Wednesday evening enjoyed yet another of the annual performances of the Players' Club of the University of British Columbia. Sir James Macpherson Barrie's whimsical and delightful "Alice Sit By The Fire" being the play chosen for production on this year's tour.

The young dramatic artists, who throughout the course of the three-act comedy upheld the enviable tradition that has been built up in past seasons by their predecessors, have been directed this year by Sydney Risk. The latter, a graduate of the class of Arts '30, will be remembered as an outstanding actor himself in other tours during the past, and to him has fallen the honor of continuing the directorial work of Professor F. G. C. Wood, who has retired this year after lengthy and devoted efforts toward building up the dramatic work at U.B.C.

To Marjorie Ellis, as Alice Grey; Jack Rutan, as her husband, Colonel Robert Grey; and to Betty Wilson, as Amy, their daughter, fell the onerous parts in the Wednesday evening performance here, and these young actors carried off their roles with graceful ease. The plot deals with the amusing sequence to Amy's endeavor to shield her mother from a purely imaginary love affair with an ingenuous and innocent friend of the family, Steve Rollo, played capably by Alistair Taylor. The trouble lay in the fact that Amy, long separated from her father and mother, who had lived in India, had become over-enchanted of the theatre and had carried its outworn plots into everyday life. In order to humor their daughter, Col. Grey and his wife fall into line with the course of the plot, as Amy would have it, but all ends happily, with the typical Barrie touch.

Minor parts, taken by Harold Lando, as Amy's young brother, Cosmo; Nancy Symes, as Ginevra Dunbar, a friend of Amy; by Mary Darnbrough, as the nurse; by Alice Morrow, as Fannie, the maid; and by Swanhild Mathison, as Richardson, another domestic servant; were all convincingly portrayed.

Today, Thursday, the cast leaves for Kelowna, where the play will be given in the evening. In the course of the tour performances will also be given at Summerland, Penticton, Nelson and Trail.

Dr. F. C. Walker, of the University faculty, and Mrs. Walker are accompanying the students, and also Archie N. Dick, as business manager.

The play has been under the auspices of the Boy Scouts' Association.

SCHOOL CRICKET  
TEAM WINS GAME  
FROM LAVINGTONVisitors Find Run Getting No  
Easy Task Against School  
Bowlers

In the cricket match played at the Vernon Preparatory School last Saturday the School, showing good form, defeated a representative Lavington eleven by 98 to 88.

The School batted first and thanks to bright innings by Brayshaw and Sinclair and a patient display by A. C. Mackie who remained in until the score reached 75, the total reached 98. Layton, M. bowled well, keeping an excellent length.

The visitors found run-getting no easy task, only Layton, Karn, Keenan and Clarke reaching double figures, the side being eventually dismissed for 88. A. C. Mackie was successful with his lob and Brayshaw, Russell and Sinclair also bowled effectively. The boys showed an all-round improvement in every department, the catching of Locke being especially noteworthy. Sinclair was awarded his colors.

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Castor Oil. Reg. 25c. For	19c	Vanishing Cream. Reg. 60c. For	39c
Colonial Club Shaving Cream. Reg. 50c. For	39c	Cold Cream. Reg. 40c. For	39c
Palmyra Shampoo and Talcum	50c	Camphor Ice Lotion. Reg. 50c. For	39c
Wash Cloth and Lux Soap, Reg. 35c. For	19c	Day Dream Cream and Powder. Reg. \$1.00, For	60c
10c Soaps. 4 for	25c	2 B.T. Talcum. One large and one small. For	25c
Old English Paperette. Reg. 75c. For	49c	Colgate's Men's Sets. Reg. \$1.25, For	85c
Royal Letter Pad and En- velopes. Reg. 40c. For	25c	Armand's Sets. Reg. \$1.00, For	69c

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## OBITUARY

Beymour Rolston

Friends of Seymour Rolston learned with regret of his death at Penticton last Friday morning. The deceased,

aged 51, had been in the bakery business at Penticton for the past eight years, but prior to that time he had been in business in Vernon.

He was a native of Walkerton, Ont., and is survived by a wife and two children; four brothers, Walter, Tom, Gordon, and Fred; and one sister, Mrs. H. G. Moses, all of Vernon.



# EMPRESS THEATRE

Last Times Today, at 3.30, 7 and 9  
GEORGE ARLISS, in "The Man Who Played God"

FRIDAY and SATURDAY, May 13 - 14

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With a supporting cast of notables, including  
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An amazing romance based on the true life of the exotic woman spy, MATA HARI. One woman against an entire nation... A spy... Dangerous... Treacherous... But after all... A woman.

Also an exceptionally fine arrangement of short subjects:  
Novelty Number "A Pair of French Heels"  
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Fox Canadian Sound News  
Saturday Matinee—The Final Chapter of "THE VANISHING LEGION"

Next Saturday we commence another thrilling Serial  
"THE MYSTERY TROOPER"

Don't miss the first Chapter, whatever you do!  
Matinee 3.30, 10c and 25c. Even. 7 and 9, 15c, 25c, 40c  
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MONDAY and TUESDAY, May 16 - 17

Warner Bros. Vitaphone Masterpiece

# 'Viennese Nights'

with


Vivienne Segal, Walter Pidgeon, Alexander Gray and Jean Hersholt

We honestly consider this the outstanding musical event since talking pictures. Filmed entirely in natural colors. Written directly for the screen by Sigmund Romberg and Oscar Hammerstein, 2nd. "Viennese Nights" uses a symphony orchestra of 100 pieces, a 40-piece band, a 30-piece gypsy orchestra, and a chorus of over 100 mixed voices. A delightful story, beautifully told, glorious music.

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Here's a new role for Powell, and you're going to like him even better. High pressure salesmanship that will sweep you right off your feet. Swell entertainment!

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Bill Tilden, the Tennis Wizard, in Forehand, Backhand Service

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200 Good Seats **BALCONY 25c** 200 Good Seats

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The following numbered programmes presented at the Box Office will admit holder and friend to any show in the above advertisement except Saturday:

—3210, 3987, 3253, 3330, 3579, 3468, 3606, 3705, 3824, 3602—

# Vernon BARGAIN WEEK!

MAY 15TH TO MAY 21ST

This is now an annual event which is looked forward to by both customers and merchants in this city.

People in outlying districts will be well advised to visit Vernon's stores during this great Bargain Week.

For a real nice tasty home-cooked meal we suggest you dine at the

# Chateau Cafe

and if staying overnight we shall be pleased to see that you get a comfortable room at the

# National Hotel

You'll appreciate our service and feel quite at home!

DELL ROBINSON, Proprietor.

# Town and District

Mrs. R. R. King, of Penticton, was in Vernon over the week end.

Archie Muir, of Penticton, was a visitor in Vernon on Monday.

J. Warburton, of Armstrong, spent Saturday visiting in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Jackson left last Friday on a brief vacation trip to Mission.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Meriam, of Richlands, were visitors in this city on Tuesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Rehels returned on Tuesday after a two weeks' vacation trip to the Coast.

Miss Louise Anderson, of Enderby, is visiting in Vernon, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Dick Murray.

Miss Susan and Miss Edith Gibson returned to Vernon last Saturday after a short visit to Coast points.

After an extended visit in Eastern Canada on business, A. T. Howe returned to Vernon on Wednesday.

William Smith was sworn in for special constable duty, in Polson Park, by Magistrate Heggie on Monday morning last.

Miss Doris Winger, of Penticton, was a visitor in Vernon over the week end, the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. McHollister.

Mrs. James Dickson, and her two children, Mrs. A. Reeves, and Miss E. Lang were Enderby visitors in this city last Saturday.

After a brief holiday trip to Harrison Hot Springs and Coast points, James Vallance returned to his home in this city on Monday.

Larry Lang returned to his home in this city last Saturday, following graduation from the faculty of Arts at the University of British Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Montague motored to Kamloops on Monday last and spent the day visiting Mrs. Montague's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Carswell.

After visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Gould, in this city, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Donaldson returned to Revelstoke on Monday evening last.

"Dell" Robinson left on Thursday of last week to attend the Commercial Men's Golf Tournament at Revelstoke, returning on Monday. He was accompanied by R. K. Cooper.

Miss Evelyn Clarke, who is lecturing at the Kelowna General Hospital, spent the week end visiting at her home in this city. Accompanying her, as her guest, was Miss Isobel Henderson.

Mrs. F. J. Scott arrived from Cranbrook on Thursday of last week to visit her daughter, Miss Margaret, who has been in training at the Queen Victoria Hospital there. Miss C. Ford, also of Vernon, was another member of the graduating class.

Mr. and Mrs. Fergus Mutrie are leaving this morning, Thursday, for Vancouver, where Mr. Mutrie will compete in the British Columbia Musical Festival vocal solo class. Mrs. Daniel Ford is accompanying them and intends to spend a day with her mother who is ill at Victoria.

D. Macfarlane, district supervisor of Safeway Stores, left on Thursday of last week for Nelson where he is to superintend the opening of a new branch store about May 20. It is expected that the store in Kelowna will be open for business about the middle of June, states Mr. Macfarlane.

The Rev. A. T. Robinson, of New York, passed through Vernon last Saturday en-route to Summerland where he will make his home for the summer. The Rev. Mr. Robinson met several friends during the course of his short stay in this city, as he is well known here. He is a brother of J. M. Robinson, of Kelowna, and was the first Baptist minister in the Okanagan, at the church at Peachland.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Morrow, accompanied by Miss Mary Lull-Morrow, and Don Grant motored from Vancouver to Vernon last week. They came over the Fraser Canyon Highway and in 11 hours. Mr. Morrow, a member of the board of directors of Pemberton & Sons, Vancouver, Limited, and also of the board of directors of the Canadian Public Service Limited, will spend a good deal of time in the Okanagan Valley this summer in connection with the sale of Canadian Public Service securities. The party is staying at the hotel at Shuswap Falls, and plan to enjoy some of the fishing. Mr. Grant, a graduate of U.B.C. is meeting many friends here.

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# QUESTIONNAIRE ON FRUIT INDUSTRY RATHER DIFFICULT

Information Sought on Many Points—Some Queries on Policy and Production

Although the questionnaire prepared by the Canadian Horticultural Council, to obtain information relative to the fruit and vegetables industries and the opinions of interested parties regarding the representations which should be made at the approaching Imperial Economic Conference, was filled in quite completely on Tuesday by the agricultural products committee meeting in this city under the chairmanship of E. J. Chambers, there remain a number of matters which will involve considerable detailed preparatory work. In reply to the questionnaire's request, statistics are being prepared to show the present production in the province suitable for export, and also to what extent production can be increased during a period of five and ten years respectively.

The question of establishing a marketing board in Canada, as a helpful agent in securing a wider and more efficient distribution of Canadian and Empire horticultural products, involves a principle; it was decided, too far reaching to be decided by the committee, and this matter will be considered by the organizations of the growers themselves, such as the B.C.P.G.A.

Possibly the most noteworthy decision of the committee's deliberation was that favoring the tariff system as the type of preference required for Canadian products on the Empire markets, rather than by the quota plan.

No Fixed Percentage  
The committee stated that it is in favor of the principle of the application by Canada to the Empire countries of an all-round reciprocal Empire preference. Their decision is based on the fact that it is not possible or desirable that a general percentage should be fixed and made universally applicable among the Empire countries by general agreement on the part of all the Empire units. In this country, for instance, there is the likelihood of there being the wish to treat Great Britain and New Zealand on different bases.

The better arrangement would be, according to the committee, to have the fixed percentage principle only as a basis for discussion, perhaps agreed on by every Empire unit, but within which specific trade agreement adjustments could be negotiated.

All Empire Goods  
The principle of a preferential treatment of all Empire goods in the British Crown colonies was also favored.

As regards marketing procedure enquiries, the local committee recorded itself as not having found that Empire firms are paying sufficient attention to agency appointments, and visits to the trade, nor that British goods are sufficiently advertised.

The members of the committee also pointed out that British manufacturers have been slow in seeking to adapt machinery to specific Canadian needs, with the results that orders have gone elsewhere. The important factor of quick delivery was also stressed as a matter to which British manufacturers could well devote a great deal of their attention. The committee advised Empire sellers to keep stocks in Canada to fill rush orders, stressing the fact that geographical factors delaying delivery have a deterrent influence on the purchase of British manufactures in this country.

Empire Content Important  
The principle of determining the Empire content of a product which is to enjoy an Empire preference was supported. The committee urged that the principle should be established as on a definite basis. The Empire content of any product should represent as high a proportion of the cost as possible.

That those engaged in the same industry in two countries of the Empire should confer together with a view to the substitution of co-operation for competition in their respective territories and with a view to encouraging efforts of rationalization in production and distribution, was the expressed opinion of the committee.

The present system of telegraph and cable operation is deemed capable and satisfactory to meet the needs here, according to another decision of the committee.

MOTHER KILLS CHILD

VANCOUVER, B.C., May 12.—Because of poverty and inability to find anyone to adopt her two week old baby, Mrs. P. Neuce, Kitsilano resident, mother of six children, drowned the infant and left it on the shores of False creek. This was the verdict of a coroner's jury on Wednesday afternoon. The verdict of the jury allowed for the woman's "unsettled state of mind."

Reformatory for youths are little better than crime incubators in their present state no matter how excellent the administration declares "Silent Biddle" in his lecture, "Does Crime Pay?" Biddle speaks at the Scout Hall on Sunday, May 15.

Convicted on Monday last by Magistrate McCusker of having been in his possession out of season, Joe Kogler was fined \$10 and \$250 costs. He had been living with several other men in a shack in the Lavington district. Game Warden Charles Still prosecuted.

Dr. Jenkin H. Davies, G. P. Bagnall, and J. G. French left on Monday evening as delegates from this city to the provincial conference of the United Church, which is being held at Queen's Avenue United Church, New Westminster. The services next Sunday at the church will be taken by Mrs. C. Campbell-Brown.

A party of distinguished visitors in Vernon on Tuesday were R. L. Clarke, Dominion Fruit Inspector, J. A. Grant, Markets Commissioner, and W. H. Robertson, Provincial Horticulturist. They came from the Coast and plan a more or less extended visit in the fruit belt. From Vernon they went about their duties at different times to various points.

FISHING AT BEST IN SHUSWAP LAKE  
Excellent Catches Last Week-end May Be Matched Any Time Now

Reports from Shuswap are to the effect that the fishing is now at its best in Shuswap lake. Parties out last week end got excellent catches. There is no great quantity of food at present in the lake and the fish appear to be hungry. Later there will be the food brought by the annual freshets poured into the lake and the runs will be about the same.

In July, hatchery officers in British Columbia, below the rank of superintendent, will meet at Shuswap lake for a period of field study and inspection. Many excellent catches of fish were reported as the result of week end outings. Close fish were taken in Okanagan lake and in Kalamalka and at other points.

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\$1.25 Nujol, 16-oz.	79c	Conde Castile Soap—	
10c Blue-lined Envelopes,		6 for	25c
5 pkgs. for	25c	25c Klezco Wash Cloths—	
10c Palmolive Beads	5c	2 for	25c
25c A.B.S. & C. Pills	19c	50c Tooth Paste	29c
\$1.00 Boots Fruit Saline,		(Chlorate of Potash).	
Price	79c	50c Klezco Coconut Oil	
25c Seidlitz Powders	19c	Shampoo, and	
Genuine Russian Mineral Oil		35c Lavender Petrolatum	
16-oz. bottle	69c	Head Rub	
32-oz. bottle	\$1.29	Both for	59c
Books		25c All 31 Tooth Paste	
Values to \$2.25. (See our		Price	19c
window). Special	95c	Jasmine of Southern France	
10c Lux Toilet Soap—		\$1.25 Body Powder, and	
4 for	25c	60c Bath Salts.	
		\$1.85 value, both for	\$1.25
		\$1.00 Jasmine Face Powder	
		and	
		50c Perfume (Free)	
		Both for	\$1.00

# FREE! Jonteel Face Powder

With every purchase of a 50c pkge. of Jonteel Vanishing Cream.

# KALAMALKA PLAYERS

# "HAY FEVER"

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY

MAY 17th-18th

8.15 P.M.

PARISH HALL

Under auspices of the Parochial Guild for All Saints' Church

Building Fund

ADMISSION 50 CENTS

Curtain 8.15 sharp. Please be seated early!

# BAZAAR..

A Bazaar under the auspices of  
The Coldstream Women's Institute  
will be held at the

Residence of MRS. FOWLE  
Coldstream

In aid of the Community Hall Building Fund

THURSDAY, MAY 19th

at 3.00 p.m.

FANCY ARTICLES WHITE ELEPHANT STALL  
AFTERNOON TEA ICE CREAM

# SUNDAY Scout Hall

8.30 p.m. sharp MAY 15TH

NOTE—Hundreds were turned away on Biddle's last visit to Vernon. "Now his farewell tour." Return engagements everywhere. Return to Vernon, Kelowna, Kamloops, Vancouver, etc., by special request.

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# SILENT - BIDDLE

EX-CONVICT IN PERSON will explain in detail.

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Countless Beauty Treatments—These treatments are of world-wide fame and give wonderful results. Try them once and you will use no other.

Our Tuesday Special will be as usual on the 17th inst. Shampoo and Finger Wave \$1.25

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Phone your appointment early so that we shall be able to take care of you. Phone 560.

MARIE LOUISE SCHAEFER, President.



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### BUSINESS VS. POLITICS

**C**RITICISM of government by political parties voiced by Major Harold Brown, President of the Vancouver Board of Trade, and Manager of the Union Steamship Co., has been heard by gatherings of business and professional men at Vernon and at Kelowna. At these points the Major addressed members of the Rotary and Canadian Clubs and numbers of invited guests.

Major Brown made a splendid impression. In most instances he had to overcome a prejudice in the minds of individuals in the audiences due either to political leanings or to partial reports of his statements which appeared in the metropolitan press. To the politicians he, of course, is anathema.

In the heat of combat, Major Harold Brown would not doubt be a formidable opponent, he has the equipment, ability to form quick and accurate judgment, education, experience and resource. To the members of the Rotary Club of Vernon, and this was also true at Kelowna, he was at his best, and he made a host of converts for his lucid ideas eloquently expressed. It is his considered opinion that the present form of party government is not giving to this province the best results. His opinion is based, as he showed to his audiences, on a simple analysis of the situation. Since politics and politicians have made a mess of things, Major Brown would bring about a change. He would simply, without heat or anger, without malice or so far as one could judge, without personal ambition, bring to the seat of authority, the best business brains of the province.

Major Brown's presentation was a model of lucid speech. His ideas express the thought which is in everybody's mind though few have such power of simple language. His sincerity and mastery of the situation immediately correct the inaccurate impression formed by reading the high lights of his utterances when they were removed from their context the way the daily press specializes in.

A voluntary commission of business men is making an examination of the economic situation in which political parties have reduced the province of British Columbia. They are doing this without recompense in a monetary form and from a high sense of public duty. When they have reached conclusions, no doubt, to another group will be assigned the task of applying the remedy. Both the task of investigation and that of applying corrective measures call for sacrifices on the part of active participants. They will be assailed and their motives misrepresented. If they succeed in their determination to bring to the functions of government only business principles, they may in a few years' time be the most unpopular group which ever held the reins of popular government. History may have a different pronouncement for them and for their effort, but they will be pilloried.

In the meantime apparently the most effective method of securing public endorsement of the move for a change which will introduce sane business methods and out politicians would be to induce Mr. Brown to tour the province and to present, as he did in these cities, his examination of the situation. The country is tired of politicians. It thinks it wants the application of just such methods as Mr. Brown proposes. If Mr. Brown and his associates will undertake the task they are entitled to the wholehearted support of that portion of the electorate which does its own thinking. The time is opportune. No one likes a dose of salts such as the strict application of business principles involves, but the condition of the province requires it. Whether the physician who prescribes it lives to see the benefit of his sound advice, depends in some measure on his bedside manner. So far as we know history affords few examples of the benefactors surviving to be called blessed, but there is always a first time.

### WORK'S BEST FRIENDS

**H**OW long a time will elapse before organized and recognized Sunday play will be followed by organized and recognized Sunday work?

This is a thought in many minds when the latitude permitted sports organizations, and generally approved, passes under casual review.

The rebellion against the strict Sabbath day of our fathers continues. There was a time when in most homes the blinds were tightly drawn, Sunday meals were cooked on Saturday, boots were blackened Saturday night and the Saturday night bath was a national institution never dreamed of as a sport or recreation; it was a painful process of soap in the eyes and vigorous scrubbing in a wash-tub dragged into the kitchen and the water supply heated on top of the stove—this was before the day of ranges. Church attendance twice a day with Sunday school in the afternoon was the portion of all but the few marked scoffers. It was not even good form to waste, and music of only the sacred tunes was ever heard. A walk or a drive was the utmost in relaxation which was not frowned down on as irreligious. It was really a day to be dreaded, all the joy had gone out of life.

It was a day for reflection and even of pious contemplation of the torments to be endured in the hereafter by enemies, the scarlet women, if there were any, and probably, even by the few gay spirits who declined to be "suspect."

On the farms the feeding of the farm animals and the milking were the only labors undertaken; in the towns, the hostler in the livery stable was about the only employed man at regular work; and in the cities, then small, the operation of Sunday street cars only became possible when enough church-goers found it difficult to reach their customary places of worship on foot. Practically all down town restaurants were closed and there really was, so far as possible, a cessation of labor.

It is a debatable point if there was any more of the real spirit of Christ in the lives of men and women, if there was any more good-will in the world, but certainly there was less work, with more opportunity for serious thought though less food for same.

Undoubtedly life is more complex now than then. The apparent simplicity has departed from decisions as to right and wrong.

But there is more work and less opportunity for relaxation from the ordinary round of every day life. Promoters of Sunday sports and play, in time will be shown as the best friends of that greedy monster, work.

### RAILWAYS CAN COMPETE

**S**PECULATION is rife as to the number who will travel on the first C.P.R. "coach" excursion to the Okanagan which is due to arrive here on Saturday, May 14. Vancouver reports there is considerable interest and that there is a prospect of a great many former residents in this Valley coming to spend a week-end with friends and relatives. Some will be drawn by the attractions of "blossom time" but many will look more into familiar faces and on well loved scenes.

The first excursion to the Coast was well patronized and on this occasion the railway showed its capacity to compete with the motor car. A trip in a motor car to or from the Coast to the Okanagan, or vice versa, is a strenuous one. It means from 12 to 14 hours driving time spent sitting in one position, and whether made in one day or in two, is an ex-

## Spring Is In The Air

Spring is in the air to-day,  
Skies are blue as they can be,  
River-voices far away  
Send their melodies to me  
And a hand has touched the sod  
'Tis, I know, the hand of God.  
Lo, He gives new life again  
To the world that round us lies;  
Sends the sunshine and the rain  
Making earth a paradise.  
Lest those thoughtless, without care,  
Pass her magic unaware.

Touch our lives to-day, our Lord,  
With this self-same kindly power  
And wherever Thy voice is heard  
May new impulse be our dower,  
Till our hearts are, by Thy hand,  
Gardens in a barren land.

—By MARY MATHESON.

perience for robust persons. A similar journey by train affords travellers full opportunity to stretch their legs whenever desired, without impeding the progress of travel. No longer time is consumed though no doubt the hours of darkness pass slowly. The cost is about the same.

The advent of occasional "coach" excursions, is the first outward and visible sign on the part of the railways that they can and will fight for a business which they have allowed to slip away from them without even a gesture towards its retention. In a country of such magnificent distances as the Dominion of Canada, the railways have their place, and serve a great need. No greater step could be taken towards breaking this nation in two than by smashing those great and essential carriers, the railways. It is pleasing to see them striving intelligently to have and to hold what is rightfully theirs, the carriage of the commerce of a nation.

### WELCOME REDUCTION IN EXPRESS RATES

**A** reduction amounting to about 12c a crate in the carlot express rates on berries and cherries becomes effective May 15, to Toronto, Ont., and to Montreal, Que. This is a very welcome announcement.

The express companies have reduced the rates on these commodities following representations made to them by the Associated Growers and other interests on the Pacific Coast.

The effect will be felt in increased returns to growers both in receipts per crate, and in the number of carloads which will go forward. British Columbia cherries and berries are earlier ripening than are those in Eastern Canada and it is hoped that the reduction will have the effect of stimulating the movement of supplies of these fruits from Canadian sources to Canadian consuming centres.

Should this be the happy result, the Canadian express companies, who in reality are the carriers themselves, will haul more cars thereby increasing earnings. More cherries will be sold probably, or if no more the growers will receive more per crate for those they dispose of.

It is to be hoped that the reduction will so stimulate sales and shipments that the express companies will communicate to their masters, the railways, the secret that reduced rates stimulate shipments, and expand rather than cause a shrinkage in revenues.

### BRAVE SPIRIT GOES MARCHING ON

**P**ASSING of John Casorso, pioneer of the Okanagan, severs a link with the past which never can be repaired. "The Onion King" of the Okanagan was one of those pioneer spirits who would have made a success in any sphere of life, or in any corner of the world where courage, initiative, patient and persistent effort are required.

John Casorso loved the land, he understood Mother Nature's purpose and he devoted himself to a life in harmony with those principles. Land was to be highly esteemed, rightly valued, and made to produce in abundance. To this end he set himself, and with the passage of time, his family around about him, he won recognition. In tune with nature, his crops never failed and as each succeeding round of seasons passed he added something to his store against the days to come when labor would be beyond him.

What a different world we would have today if a measure of the spirit of John Casorso, his capacity for patient toil, his rugged determination, were incorporated in thousands of the unemployed and unemployable who drift from place to place helpless, hopeless, tools until a master arises, who, with indifference to suffering, will harness them to toil. What a land this would be if this army of unemployed could be energized with some of the potency of John Casorso, who in the fullness of time has been gathered to his fathers leaving seven sons in the land he loved—the Okanagan.

## Twenty Years Ago

(From The Vernon News, Thursday, May 16, 1912.)

John Casorso, the well known Kelowna farmer, was in town yesterday. Mr. Casorso is putting in about eight acres of onions and 17 acres of tomatoes this Spring.

C. J. Whitten is building a handsome cottage on the corner of Schubert and Eleventh Streets, and expects to occupy it in the course of a few days.

At a meeting of the Women's Hospital Auxiliary, held on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. K. C. MacDonald, Mrs. E. D. Watts was elected President, in place of Mrs. P. Billings, who has resigned.

The last thing on earth, surely, that a man would want to pursue is a coffin. Yet a casket, one of the best in the place, mysteriously disappeared from its case in the undertaking parlors of Blanchard and English, recently, at Endorby.

## Thirty Years Ago

(From The Vernon News, Thursday, May 15, 1902.)

It is now estimated that forty thousand persons perished as a result of the volcano eruption in the Island of Martinique early on Thursday morning of last week.

Jim Cameron and Angus McDonald left last week for Dawson, and their friends here wish them all manner of success in the land of nuggets.

Rev. J. McCoy, of this city, was honored by being unanimously elected Moderator of the Presbyterian Synod of Alberta and British Columbia, which met at Nanaimo last week.

## Forty Years Ago

(From The Vernon News, Thursday, May 12, 1892.)

E. Spraggett has been gazetted as the Postmaster at the newly established office called Kettle River.

Cargill & Co. have opened their new store at Armstrong, which is beyond doubt the finest in the Interior.

Crowell & Holland have received the contract to erect a bungalow residence for Major Forster on the west shore of Long Lake.

A meeting was held in the school house on Saturday evening to consider the matter of incorporating the town of Vernon, or of forming a district municipality. R. McDougall occupied the chair, and after a prolonged discussion in which James Martin, Price Ellison, J. A. McKelvie, A. K. Stuart, W. J. Armstrong, W. M. Cochrane, J. A. Mohr, and others took part, it was moved by J. A. McKelvie and seconded by W. C. Foyard that a committee be formed to ascertain the total population of the town, and to ascertain the probable expense of incorporation.

## Okanagan Pottery

By Margery Vanderburgh

In a world that puts its faith in machinery, the making of pottery by hand is an art. It has a commercial value, and is something that may be done at home in between other things. As with all handmade articles, it cannot compete financially in a market that sells machine products. This pottery, taken for its beauty and for the life that is in it, is in a class by itself.

No handicraftman's art, Can with our art compare, We potters make our pots From what we potters are."

Pottery is being made by hand at Summerland in the Okanagan Valley in B.C. by Miss Doris Cordy. Working alone, she makes her own designs, and gradually, by experience, is improving her methods, and consequently her results. One summer Miss Cordy, daughter of the making of pottery at the Vancouver Exhibition, and another summer instructed in this art, at the summer school for teachers in Victoria.

Miss Cordy is an attractive young lady with short-cut black hair, prematurely greying, blue eyes and a rather brisk manner. One senses a reserve, perhaps it is the customary reserve of builders, the consciousness of an inner room. She works at one of the oldest of the arts, one that began with the glimmerings of civilization. When a child Miss Cordy came to Summerland with her parents and two sisters. They came from Suffolk and have lived here since. She has been in the pottery business for some time, and is now working out of the valley. It would seem that the beautiful Okanagan Valley is a fitting place for the making of lovely things, for here "Beauty lies, wherever a man may turn his eyes."

The first pottery class, numbering twenty, was started by local people and worked under the B. C. Arts and Crafts' League. The Summerland branch has been disbanded since but Miss Cordy has continued and is practically self-taught. She works at a wheel similar in design to those used by potters thousands of years ago.

Clay from the cliffs about Summerland is used. To make it more plastic it is mixed with a small percentage of clay from Medicine Hat. Then there are the various processes through which all pottery must go whether machine made, or hand done. Herein lie the tests for the handworker and here lies the need of experience.

The clay and water, called "slip," are put through a very fine copper sieve to remove small stones. It is dried to the right consistency for kneading, then kneaded well. The round shapes are thrown, or shaped on the wheel. All other forms are built up, carefully, by patient and deft fingers. Any cutting or design is done in this so-called green stage, and in this green stage the pieces are put in the kiln for the first firing. The firing is always a critical process. The temperature is gradually raised to a great heat, kept there for some hours, and as gradually lowered. Taken from the kiln they are in the second stage called the "bisquit." This is when glazing is done, or painting, under the glaze. There are several methods of glazing, dipping, painting or spraying. In this case the glazing is done by dipping as much as possible. Then comes the second firing and the finished product. What a disappointment if one has over-fired! Miss Cordy says that she doesn't often go that way. What damage can be done by one small piece dipping and touching several others? A piece with a flaw is culled.

The market has been largely local or in Vancouver, but this most fascinating industry is becoming known throughout Canada, and the demand is on the increase. Some beautiful colors are gained. There is one blue which is very like the blue of Morocroft. Vases, bowls, ash trays, jugs and lamp bases, perhaps form the largest part of the production. Many things are made to order; some delightful pieces (one a stein) bore the crest of a well-known college fraternity. Last year three dozen pieces were solicited for the Canadian National Exhibition and more pieces were solicited for the Canadian Handicrafts' Exhibition at Montreal.

### FALKLAND MINISTER ATTENDS CONFERENCE

Rev. Evan Fullerton and Rev. S. T. Galbraith Leave By Motor For Coast

**SALMON VALLEY, B.C., May 9.**—The Rev. S. T. Galbraith, of Armstrong, came out on Sunday evening, and passed through to Falkland where he joined the Rev. Evan Fullerton. They proceeded from there to Kamloops for the night, leaving Monday morning for New Westminster to attend the Conference sessions held there this year. The ministers are travelling down by car.

The Hon. R. W. Bruhn, M.L.A. of Sicamous, paid a business call at Heywood on Tuesday last, en route to Kamloops.

Miss Mary Pritchard spent a couple of days last week visiting at the home of Mrs. L. H. Sharp, of Knob Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Yeale and children, of Silver Creek, and Mrs. Charles Foster, visited at the home of Mrs. Yeale's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kennedy, of Deep Creek, on Sunday.

A. J. Heywood is busy hauling lumber from the Sawmill at Falkland to his sawmill at Armstrong now.

Some of the young people in the Valley motored to Falkland on Friday evening, and attended the dance held there. Others attended the dance at Silver Creek, held the same evening.

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## Ten Years of Drastic Retrenchment Necessary

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tion of practiced agitation, the speaker stated that the inspiration of example must be afforded in good government before there can be any hope to stem successfully such dangers.

"The man leaning against the doors in our city streets is not the main problem," he continued. "In Vancouver there are between four and five thousand and heads of families who are absolutely out of line with the economic order of things.

"Meanwhile the University is belching forth great crowds of young men and women, ready to take everybody's places.

"There were thousands of positions created for men in the stock exchange boom days who will never again resume such employment," he said.

"And all this means that heads of families are suffering, child life is suffering, family life is decaying. "Into this national situation the government must inject something, and it must be done soon."

Major Brown paid tribute to the efforts of the Hon. W. A. Gordon in his "Forward to the Land" program, to settle families on small holdings, with the hope of reinvigorating family life.

That criticism of existing situations is not synonymous with crying "blue ruin," was a remark made by the speaker. It is the path of common sense to face facts valiantly.

It is following out the good old military principle when we make it a point never to under-estimate uncertain factors that may become hazardous," he declared, specifically referring to the suggestion of a voluntary non-

partisan commission to investigate the British Columbia situation.

"There was no idea of usurping the powers of government," he said. "The men who constitute this commission are giving their time and ability at absolutely no cost to the government. The feeling is that the situation is now a greater one than can be coped with by partisan political machinery, and the action of this commission is a gesture of splendid citizenship."

As further evidences of the financial quagmire in which the province finds itself, Major Brown stated that conversations with Vancouver real estate men had made it evident to him that real property holdings have declined to something like the earning capacity of 1913. With 1932 tax rate and overhead the picture is a disastrous one.

The provincial sinking fund, he added, is also only a solace so long as it is slowly overtaking the debt. The true state of affairs is, however, that the gross debt is snow-balling its way out of all proportion.

"But I would not like you to think that the position is altogether hopeless," declared Major Brown. "This country has its immense potentialities.

And greater still can be the moral character of the people themselves. "It must be remembered that this province is the stopping off point for the entire Oriental world," he remarked.

"The general feeling," said the speaker, "is one of hopefulness, with the realization that faith and loyalty, must prevail amongst all of us, in both country and city."

The approaching economic conference, he prophesied, would be "the most substantial advance in the economic administration of the British Empire that we have yet seen."

"Any reforms that are suggested,

## JAPANESE FOUND DEAD IN DITCH

Employee of Winfield Rancher Drowns After Epileptic Seizure On Tuesday

**WINFIELD, B.C., May 10.**—Nasao, a Japanese who has been in the employ of Tom Duggan for the past two years, was found dead in the latter's orchard on Tuesday.

Being subject to epileptic fits he had apparently been seized by one and had fallen face downward in a small irrigation ditch, death resulting from drowning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Pollard and family, formerly of Lavington, who have spent the past several months in England and Eastern Canada, have returned to the Okanagan and purchased the Leslie place here.

Frank McDonald and John Coe, Winfield's most ardent fishermen, opened the season on Sunday with a fine catch from Beaver and Crooked lakes.

They report eight feet of water in the dam at Beaver lake and considerable snow still on the ground.

In order to see that breaking ice does not damage the dam at Beaver lake, Dick Coe and Wilfred Brodie left for the lake on Tuesday for three weeks.

he urged, "must be examined impartially and judiciously."

"With ten years of patience," he declared in conclusion, "and drastic retrenchment, we can secure that peace, happiness, and security, which we desire so much for ourselves and our children after us."

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## Prince of Wales Attends Banquet



"Pretty, please," said the camera-man, but the Prince of Wales blinked when the flash came. It was at a dinner of the Pilgrims of London, in honor of the United States Ambassador Mellon. Lord Derby fills up the centre

## Chinese Brothers Win Honors In An Essay On Alcohol

David and Paul Lim Yuen Write  
Convincingly On This  
Subject

The rather astonishing feat of two brothers, writing in a strange language, capturing honors in their respective classes from all other contestants in a provincial wide essay contest, is that which can be claimed by David Lim Yuen and Paul Lim Yuen, of this city.

These two Chinese boys, the former a student of the Vernon High School, who has distinguished himself scholastically and in extra-mural activities, and his brother a student of the Elementary School, deserve the congratulations they have been receiving following the announcement of the decision of the judges at Vancouver on the provincial-wide essay competition sponsored by the Women's Christian Temperance Union.

Miss Verna Hunter, also a student of the Vernon High School, was tied for second place provincial honors, in the same contest.

The subject of the essay in the High School division was "Is there a menace to the community in popularizing beverage alcohol at social functions?" The subject for the fifth and sixth grades in Elementary Schools, on which Paul Lim Yuen wrote, was "Tell what you know about Nansen, and give his reasons for not taking liquor with him on his exploring trips."

A student writing in Vernon has not the same libraries and reference sources at his command as contestants in such a city as Vancouver, and the triumph of these young writers over all other opposition becomes therefore more outstanding.

The series of essays arranged by the W.C.T.U. was divided between the various grades in the Elementary schools, and the High schools. In all, Vernon contestants won two first prizes, one second, and two were tied for second, against the rest of the province.

Norma Kinnard, in the seventh and eighth grade section, won the first prize locally, and was tied for second place



DAVID LIM YUEN

for provincial honors, writing on Baden Powell's injunction, "Keep off liquor from the very first, and make up your mind to have nothing to do with it." Mary Campbell won the second prize in the local division.

Second to Paul Lim Yuen locally, was Katherine Kugler. Grade 5 and 6 pupils were required to make a poster illustrating the text "Highways Must Be Dryways." And again, in this competition, a Vernon entrant made distinguished marks. Alice Johnson won the first prize locally, and the second prize against provincial competition. Melita Billard was second in the local section.

Next Tuesday night, at the Central United Church, a public meeting has been arranged by the local executive of the W.C.T.U., at which prizes will be presented, and the successful essays read.

David Lim Yuen's Essay. David Lim Yuen's essay, "Is there a menace to the community in popularizing beverage alcohol at social functions?" follows:

"Let us visualize an evening party. A genial radiance floods the room. The host, to enhance the pleasure of the company, orders something to be served. He deems it a good evening lost without this thing playing a role in the proceedings. He also does not wish to be outdone by the other guests, and to whom the self-same show of hospitality seems a paramount requisite. This thing is liquor.

"Now let us assume a young man there, in all the vigor of youth, with ambition and the whole world before him. Even before the glasses reach him, he is plunged in thought. He knows abstinence has been to him a primary consideration. It seems strange to him that in order to entertain guests, the best way seems to be to poison them with a poison which has been the cause of the deprecation of many a gifted intellect. Then must he fall also, ensnared by this arch-enemy of mankind? Never!

"His knowledge of the impairing effects of alcohol comes back to him. He knows that alcohol kills by a slow and indirect method, and by disease. He recoils that its most insidious danger is that it is habit-forming drug. The habit once acquired, the victim is virtually 'sunk.' His whole nervous system undergoes lasting injury. The vital 'respiratory centre' in his brain is paralyzed. His perception is blunted; all sense of right and wrong, of responsibility and duty, is deadened. It is then that man's power of self-control, one of the great marks that elevate man above animals, is vanquished. The restraints which safeguard proper conduct are annihilated, and foolish acts are an inevitable consequence. Is then he, this life youth, also to perish, his soul's life to be extinguished by the choking tentacles of drink-bits?

"He, let us presume, is at this juncture, startled from his reverie, and presented with a glass of liquor. He refuses to accept. 'Aw! Come on! Be a sport! and such remarks follow from bystanders. At once, conflicting views come to mind; What! Do a sport and sell his soul? Never! But the devil argues: What matters one glass? Why lose popularity with these friends, who are at present guffing with pride this sparkling nectar?

"Yet his conscience whispers: The first glass is the worst. Beware! There is a lurking devil in every wine-cup. Prudence, youth, prudence! 'Still the Evil One persists. Finally with a 'Would to God I had never come,' the youth yields.

"My what a churning man he is! for the moment an altered personality! Imagine the exultation he feels, the indescribable pleasure! Yes, but a short-lived pleasure that leads but to disillusionment. For soon, his fate is sealed. He perhaps engages in a quarrel, in which colorful vocabulary is used to full advantage. Possibly, he leaves the place unceremoniously, but drives his homeward way, blundering into a telephone pole, or into a wash-out. Still other untoward things may happen. And the career of such a youth most frequently results in a tragic conclusion.

"Now today we stand upon the threshold of a great era. Will the youth of this country accept the challenge? Will

they be worthy of the heritage handed down by the heroes of old? They must realize that the destiny of their community and nation lies in their hands, and that all their capabilities are required for the task which lies before them. But on the other hand, the energy required can be drained away by the pernicious influence of alcohol. In view of this, is one not justified in condemning the practice of supplying liquor at parties, dances, banquets, and social gatherings of like nature, which young people attend—the people who will be the men and women of tomorrow, upon whose shoulders rests the responsibility of a nation's future welfare? Is it not horrible enough to view the sad results of the excessive use of alcohol as seen in thousands of cases of shattered nerves and wasted vigor, without—concocting further means to destroy humanity?"

## SCHOOL BOARDS MAY TAKE FIGHT TO THE COURTS

Spallumcheen and Armstrong  
Wrangle On Transportation  
Costs; Estimates Pass

ARMSTRONG, B.C., May 11.—Only after a three hours' sitting, several more deadlocked resolutions, and an apparently hopeless impasse again, did the Armstrong and Spallumcheen Consolidated School Board succeed on Tuesday in breaking the situation which had prevented the passing of the estimates for the present year. Even then they were passed only upon the understanding that there should be a reference of the original consolidation agreement to superior authority, and upon the other that the municipal representatives of the Board, as setting the question of who might go into court against it if the opinion of that authority were not accepted by the Board as a whole.

Contrary to the expectations that had been entertained, that the municipal representatives would accept the resuscitated 1918 agreement, which was submitted to the recent city ratepayers' meeting as setting the question of who should pay for transportation of school children, the Spallumcheen trustees were found to be in quite as fighting a mood as ever.

Trustee Worthington insisted that a section of the Public School Act dominated the situation, as that section provided that all such costs as those of transportation should be borne by the whole of the consolidated district. He denied the contention of the Chairman that section 60 of the act empowered the abrogation of this proviso by agreement under the circumstances in which that agreement was made. Under those circumstances, it should have been ratified anew by the new board at the commencement of each year.

Trustees Maw and Brett sustained Trustee Worthington. The latter pressed for the seeking of an opinion as to the legality of the agreement from Inspector Baird, representing the Department of Education, if he would give one, which was doubtful. The Chairman said even were such an opinion given he would not bow to it, the Inspector not being a lawyer. But he thought the best thing for them to do was for them to pass the estimate now, then get an opinion from Inspector Baird, after which if necessary, the other side could go to the courts if they wanted to. But if the estimates were not passed by the following Saturday, everything would be off.

In the course of the very prolonged discussion, which was listened to by a number of the ratepayers, Trustee Wilton's motion to pass the estimates on the same basis for payment as heretofore was twice put and failed to carry. The second time, when the Chairman had declared it lost, he asked if there were any other business before the Board adjourned.

Trustee Maw said the municipal trustees did not want to hold up the estimates, but he thought they might pass them on the understanding that an opinion regarding the agreement would be obtained from Baird, and that afterwards, if necessary, the matter could be taken to court. Trustee Brett said he would prefer rather to submit it for the instructions first of a meeting of the ratepayers.

The motion to adopt the estimates was then put and carried, Trustee Worthington still dissenting.

**Transportation Grant**  
Another long discussion took place upon the question of the truck-driving contracts. The Board heard with pleasure that through the good offices of George Heide, M.L.A., a special grant of \$840 had been secured from the department, which although nominally intended as a concession of another three per cent. in aid of teachers' salaries, was really intended to be in aid of transportation, in view of the special difficulties obtaining here. Mr. Heide had also advised the Board to come to an amicable arrangement with the present truck-drivers if they could make a reasonable reduction in their charges, as he considered the Board were morally if not legally bound to do so. The Board heard with pleasure that the drivers were willing to meet the Board in conference. A letter was read to the Board from the school bus inspection department of the Police

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Commission, saying that the temporary permits would be withdrawn, and all buses must now be put in proper condition. Truck-driver Game, addressing the Board, said improvements had been made from time to time, and the owners would have done more to them but for the uncertainty about the contracts.

Eventually it was resolved to invite the drivers to meet the Board in conference on Saturday night next, on the understanding upon the one hand that the present one-year contracts may be extended for another two years, and upon the other that the drivers will offer really substantial concessions in terms. The previous offer of one day's pay a month was spoken of as nothing to the purpose at all. The board will meet subsequently to decide what action shall be taken.

## Teachers Suggest a Commission

A letter from the Armstrong School Teachers' Association requested that in view of the contemplated large reductions in teachers' salaries by the Board, the latter would agree to submit the question first to a joint committee to be composed of three teachers, three school trustees, three business men of the city and three farmers. The Board, to be received and filed, and when the estimates embodying the new schedule of salaries had been subsequently passed, directed the secretary to write to each teacher and notify the reduction. The Board found itself by self-composition in an exceedingly difficult position in seeking to come to a decision upon a number of recommendations made to it at the previous sitting by John Murray, principal of the High School. Although fully agreeing with the suggested cancellation of the senior matriculation class, the adoption of a general three year course in place of four years, and the reduction of the staff from five to three, they were not at all clear in regard to some of his individual recommendations or as to the best course to be taken in bringing about the re-organization of the school. At last it was decided to ask Inspector Baird to come up to Armstrong to attend the meeting of the Board next Saturday, or at such other time as he might be able. In the other event advice may be asked from Inspector Baird.

## Larkin Resident Dead

Mrs. W. H. Greening, who lived with her husband and family for some considerable time past on a ranch at Larkin, passed away at her home on Tuesday evening at the age of 46. She had been in ill health for a long period, and had spent some months in the Vernon Jubilee Hospital. Her husband and three children, two girls and a boy, survive her. The funeral is arranged for 2:30 this afternoon, Thursday.

The physical exercise classes which have been so successfully carried on by Chief Constable Ellis at the Recreation Club during the past few months, on Fridays for the older boys and on Saturdays for the younger ones, were brought to a close last week. A certain amount of equipment has already been obtained, and it is expected to add to

## GRADING OF HONEY MOST DESIRABLE EXPERT DECLARES

A. W. Finlay, Provincial Apiarist, Addresses Producers At Clarke Apiary

Emphasizing the fact that the quality of honey produced by bee-keepers of this district is of splendid quality, and always to the fore in shows and competitive exhibitions, A. W. Finlay, provincial apiarist, at a meeting last Saturday afternoon urged, particularly the high producers to get together, to establish a definite grading basis, and to go after the big markets.

The meeting was held on the premises of D. E. Clarke, with 12 producing bee-keepers in attendance, and Mr. Finlay gave a general talk on the handling and feeding of bees, and the necessary methods for keeping them free of disease, linking up his talk with an actual demonstration throughout the Clarke hives.

He stressed the potentialities of the Interior country for bee-keepers, stating that a high percentage of the prizes awarded at provincial exhibitions always goes to Interior honey producers. The success of the British Columbia honey exhibit at the Imperial Fruit Show in England was also commented upon by the expert, who has received numerous letters since that time from the Old Country enquiring with regard to the industry in this province.

It is not as yet definitely known whether there will be another honey exhibit of the same kind forwarded to England this year, but Mr. Finlay extended to local apiarists the invitation, if an exhibit is being assembled, to contribute towards its composition.

Mr. Finlay, whose base is at New Westminster, spent two days in the Salmon Arm district before visiting here, and at the beginning of this week proceeded on to Kelowna in the course of his regular itinerary.

When the classes re-open in the fall, when a display for which considerable preparation has already been made will be put on, including probably gymnastics, boxing and wrestling.

## Several Accidents

Floyd Hunter underwent the amputation of a finger of his left hand at the hospital on Wednesday as the result of an accident at the mill a few days earlier. Tom Malpas, who was brought in with a broken ankle on Saturday, due to a fall from his horse, when it stopped in a hole, was able to be taken home the next day. W. Eley, of Salmon River, who was brought in on Friday, suffering from a severe fracture of the skull due to an accident when a logging team ran away, is progressing favorably.

Miss Fairley, superintendent of the Armstrong Hospital, is paying a visit to her parents for a few days at Merritt.



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## WATER DIVINER

Why dig dry holes when for \$5.00 I will go with you over your land and show you the most logical location of water. Phone, write or visit. J. J. Mann, Phone 89, or P.O. Box 191, Vernon, B.C. 36-5p

Applications for the position of House-Porter, Messenger, and Secretary, or Secretary-Messenger of the Vernon Co-operative Growers Association will be received until May 15. Applicants should state age, experience, when previously employed and salary expected. Address W. I. Hewlett, President Westbank Co-op. Westbank, B.C. 37-2

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R. L. Redd has the first quality, Bone of straight comb, white birds, also from content winners, 15c each for 11.00. Express or Postage extra. HARRY MILLER, Box 5, Vernon, B.C. 20-1p

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**\$15.00**—Corner Seventh and Tronson, lately occupied as Butcher Shop. The best business corner off Barnard Avenue.

**\$22.50**—6 rooms and bath, good location.

**\$25.00**—5 rooms and bath; recently renovated. Good situation. Large Lot.

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**\$1100**—4 rooms and bath, fire-place, open fireplace. Large Lot; fruit and shade trees. \$100 down, balance as rent.

**\$2500**—3 acres and house, 6 rooms and bath, in good condition. Excellent pasture. \$500 will handle. This is a good buy at this figure.

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Beef for boiling—  
Per lb. .... 8c  
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Per lb. .... 13c and 15c  
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With 50c Meat Purchase  
**BUTTER**  
Coldstream, Vernon—  
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2 lbs. for  
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Loin Roast of Pork—  
Trimmed, per lb. .... 15c  
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### Extra Specials

Fresh Red Spring Salmon  
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Pure Pork Sausage—  
Per lb. .... 15c  
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**TODAY**  
At 1.30 p.m.

Furniture, etc., for Fred Bassett, Enderby.

Also Chattels for Jno. Wickenburg Estate, at the same time.

**Sat., May 21**  
At 1.30 p.m.

For Steve Dolan, (3 miles West of Salmon Arm), on  
**Thurs., May 19**  
At 1.30 p.m.

21 Dairy Cattle,  
10 Horses,  
180 Range Ewes with their lambs,  
Farm Implements, etc.,  
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AUCTIONEER  
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We also invite you to try one of our  
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Delicious Ice Cream - - First Class Soda Fountain

## City of Vernon NOTICE

Spraying for Codling Moth Control in the City area will commence on or about May 18th.

Commencing at the City Limits on Kalamalka Lake road, Map 550, thence East to Francis Avenue, thence North on Eastern Limits to Pine Street, thence S. E. corner of Lot 19, Map 474, thence to Pleasant Valley Road to Maple Street, thence North to Lot 22, Map 474, West to Lot 3, Map 327G, thence West from Lot 4, to its junction with Mara Avenue, crossing Mara to the West side, thence South to Lorne Street West to Seventh to the City Limits to the N. E. corner of Lot 2, Map 2053, thence South to Barnard to Lot 1, Map 460, thence to N.W. corner of Lot 21, Map 324 to Lake Drive, to Lot 46, crossing Railway Track to Lot 67 to where it joins Long Lake Creek, thence to Mission Street to Okanagan Avenue to Seventh Street, thence following the Creek East to the City Limits to a point of commencement.

J. G. EDWARDS,  
City Clerk.

## Important AUCTION SALE

of  
**Dairy Cattle**

23 HEAD OF REGISTERED, PURE-BRED, AND HIGH-GRADE JERSEY DAIRY CATTLE.

Under instructions from L. R. H. Nash, Esq., I will sell by Public Auction without reserve, at his Ranch, situated near Swan Lake, on the Kamloops Road, 5 miles from Vernon.

## Thursday, May 19th

At 2 o'clock p.m.

The whole of the herd of 23 head of Registered, Pure-Bred and High-Grade Jersey Dairy Cattle, as follows:

- 1 High-grade Jersey, age 5 years, freshened January 31st, bred March 18th, 1932. Test butterfat 5.6%.
- 1 High-grade Jersey, age 9 years, due to freshen by date of sale. Test butterfat 4.73%.
- 1 Jersey, age 4 years, due to freshen by date of sale. Test butterfat 4.4%.
- 1 High-grade Jersey, age 3 years, fresh January 9th, 1932. Bred March 25th, 1932.
- 1 High-grade Jersey, age 9 years, to freshen June 26th, 1932. Butter test 4.7%.
- 1 Jersey, age 3 years, due to freshen by date of sale.
- 1 High-grade Jersey, age 3 years; freshened December 26th, 1931. Bred March 15th, 1932.
- 4 Two-year-old Heifers, due to freshen next November, December and January.
- 2 Yearling Jersey Heifers.
- 1 Two-year-old Steer, 1 One-year-old Steer.
- 3 Jersey Heifer Calves.
- 1 Registered Jersey, age 8 years, (St. Louise of Avelagh), registered No. 25099, with heifer calf at foot for which registered papers can be obtained. Test butterfat 5.8%. Fresh February 5th, 1932. Bred April 5th, 1932.
- 1 Registered Yearling Bull (Lovat Gem's Volunteer No. 61143). Dam of this bull was a two-year-old produced 10786 lbs. milk, 640 lbs. butterfat in 292 days.

The above herd have been inoculated twice from black foot, and have just recently been T.B. inspected by the Provincial Government Veterinary, Dr. McKay.

The above dairy stock are well known to be one of the best producing herds in the district; have been bred to Registered Jersey Bull.

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**5 ROOM MODERN HOUSE**, Mission St. Close in. Garage, barn, and chicken house. Fruit trees. On three Lots. Good garden soil. Price \$1,300. \$200 cash will handle.

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**OKANAGAN GROCERY**  
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**FREE! FREE! FREE!**

### A Beautiful Electric Percolator

Chromium, Plated, Rust-proof, Stainless. Seven-cup size. Made and guaranteed by Westinghouse.

A numbered ticket will be given for every dollar's worth purchased at our store during Bargain Week, including telephone orders.

On Saturday night May 21st, at 9 p.m., Doris Kinnard will make the drawing and to the person holding the corresponding number will be handed this beautiful Westinghouse Percolator. See it in our window.

Even you don't win this prize the outstanding bargains offered by our store during Bargain Week will more than justify your buying from us.

### Special No. 2

This, our second special, is sure to interest every housewife.

Sanette No-Drip Sink Strainer. New feature, patented cover forms tray, preventing dripping. To see this modern strainer is to want one. Here is how to secure it:

1 large package, Oxydol  
or  
1 large package Chipso  
and  
1 Sink Strainer  
Reg. value 85c.  
For only **49c**

### Special No. 3

Our third Bargain Week Special is equally interesting, in fact it is Extra Special.

**FREE!**

2 cakes Kirk's famous Castile Soap given free with—  
1 large package Oxydol for **23c**

Kirk's Castile Soap is a general purpose toilet soap specially adapted for hard water. Unexcelled for shampoo and bath purposes. The only wrapped Castile Soap on the market.

### Special No. 4

**Laundry Soap Special**  
P and G White Naptha Soap

Is our fastest-selling soap. No better proof of its superior quality. On sale Bargain Week—  
**25 cakes for \$1.00**

### Special No. 5

**At nearly half-price 2-in-1 Floor Wax**

This well-known polish is manufactured from highest quality ingredients. Gives a hard, durable and brilliant finish on hardwood floors, linoleums, furniture, etc. Requires very little rubbing, most economical. Price for Bargain Week, per can **29c**

### Special No. 6

**Coffee at 18c**

South African Coffee, ground fresh in our electric coffee mill. A host of people are using this Coffee and like the flavor. The price is almost unbelievable. Bargain Week, lb. .... **18c**

### Special No. 7

**Indian Tea Per lb. 33c**

Many people are using this Indian Tea and like the flavor. Draws fragrant golden brown liquor. Bargain Week, per lb. .... **33c**

### Special No. 8

**Combination Special**

2 cans Garden Peas  
2 cans Aylmer Corn  
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Bargain Week,  
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**Strawberry Jam**

Ensign Brand, put up by the W. H. Malkin Co., Ltd. Carefully prepared from selected fruit. Delicious and wholesome. Bargain Week, 4-lb. cans, at each **49c**

### Special No. 10

**Orange Marmalade**

Ensign Brand, a delicious Marmalade with that sweet snappy flavor characteristic of good marmalade. Bargain Week Special, 4-lb. can for **43c**

### Special No. 11

**Aylmer Pork and Beans**

Prepared with Tomato Sauce. We unhesitatingly recommend this brand. Evenly cooked, excellent in flavor, always timely for luncheon, quick meals, etc. On sale during Bargain Week, tall cans, each only **9c**

### Special No. 12

**Canned Pineapple**

This is Australian Pineapple, fancy quality, packed in heavy syrup, sliced. If you want something really nice, don't overlook this special for Bargain Week. Tall cans, reg. 30c, on sale, per can **23c**

### Special No. 13

**C. & B. Sockeye Salmon**

Noted for its bright red color, superb flavor and delicacy. In our opinion it is one of the finest flavor salmon packed. Buy it during Bargain Week. Flat cans, each **17c**  
Tall cans, each **32c**

### Special No. 14

**Calay Toilet Soap**

The beauty of your skin depends on the soap you use. Calay is the finest beauty soap you can buy; pure, creamy white, free from coloring matter, delicate and safe. Bargain Week, on sale **3 cakes 23c**  
or  
14 cakes for **\$1.00**

### Special No. 15

**Dutch Maid Mayonnaise**

A thoroughly delightful dressing, distinctive flavor, pure and appetizing. On sale Bargain Week, 22c per jar **22c**

### Special No. 16

**Christie's Fluted Coconut Biscuits**

This is a new Christie line, a very tasty, crisp, thin biscuit, suitable for any occasion. The special price for Bargain Week is most attractive. Per lb. **23c**

Many other articles specially priced for Bargain Week. Delivery Free to any part of the City, Kalamalka Lake, Coldstream and B.X.

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VERNON, B.C., THURSDAY, MAY 12, 1932

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## Crowning of Vernon's May Queen Colorful Pageantry at Scout Hall

Lillian Martyn New Queen of the May—Imposing Guard of Honor

The Scout Hall, on Friday evening of last week, was the scene of one of the most colorful pieces of pageantry that has ever graced it, when Lillian Martyn, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Martyn, was crowned Queen of the May.

While in past years the crowning ceremony has been observed at Polson Park, it was this year the decision of the Women's Institute to hold the event in the Scout Hall in the interests of economy. So well was everything planned, however, and with such excellence were all the manifold arrangements carried out, that the large crowd was delighted to accept the parade through the city streets, always a feature in past years, the home of this year's reigning May Queen was no less fitting and elaborate than in the ceremonies of the past.

Lined up as an imposing guard of honor, the Brownies, Girl Guides, Wolf Cubs, and Boy Scouts, all their ranks formed a processionary aisle through which the royal party moved toward the beautifully decorated stage.

Wearing her crown, emblematic of last year's sovereignty, Queen Martyn Edgar led the procession. She was attended by Daisy Perry and Doris Drew, while George Baldwin and Evelyn Bearstro were her pages. A dainty little figure just ahead of the queen was Virginia Kinnard, the flower girl. Then followed queen-elect Lillian, who had as her Maids of Honor, Lorraine McEwen and Barbara Coleman.

History of May Queen.  
In introductory remarks, G. O. Nesbitt, President of the Board of Trade, commented upon the inception of May Day customs during the 15th century. In the days of Robin Hood, Friar Tuck, and their companions, the festivities were stopped by the Restoration, explained, and the continuation of some of the old customs into present day times is a very pleasing practice.

The retiring Queen Martyn then made a brief speech, following which (Continued on Page 13, Col. 2)

## WASHING GOLD ON SIWASH CREEK BY USE OF MONITORS

Former Calgary Man Has Option On Five Leases and Is Testing Ground

E. T. Fitzsimmons, formerly of Calgary, but who for the past nine years has been closely identified with mining enterprise in this province, has taken an option on the Siwash Creek ground, comprising five leases, and recently a crew of about six men started testing work in that vicinity.

A 16-inch pipe has been hooked up with the flume, about half a mile above the big pit. The ground sluicing and testing with a set of riffles have shown values at that point.

About six years ago a Saskatchewan syndicate installed monitors and a mile of flume on the creek, taking out about \$1,000 worth of gold. The bank caved in, however, and terminated activity for a time.

Two years ago Mr. Fitzsimmons did testing work for the same syndicate and in just a few days took out 17 ounces. Since that time however, extensive operations on the property subsided.

There is gold showing in many of the old workings," states Mr. Fitzsimmons, "and from past experience I know what the big pit contains. In a very short time I will decide whether to open up full blast or not. At present I would say that it appears a fair proposition and well worth going ahead with."

Mr. Fitzsimmons is at present spending about \$25 daily on his operations on the creek, and has already completed extensive repairs to the flumes, sluice boxes, and other equipment. One of the two monitors is on the ground ready for use.

The difficulty frequently met with, namely that of lack of water, does not apply to the Siwash Creek project," states Mr. Fitzsimmons. "There is plenty of water there, and once the equipment is installed the daily operating cost might not be much greater than \$50."

## LOWER MILL RATE FOR SPALLUMCHEEN

Reduction of Two Mills Expected—Final Tax Rate Awaits School Board Estimates

ARMSTRONG, B.C., May 9.—A reduction of two mills in the total of the rates to be levied by the Spallumcheen Municipal Council was the prospect outlined as the result of the discussion of estimates for the year which took place at a special meeting held on Saturday.

While the estimates were not finally adopted, as the requirements of the School Trustees were yet to be received, it was possible to get a sufficiently close idea to assume that there would be a reduction of the sum of their requirements equivalent to about two and a half mills as compared with last year. There will also be a reduction of half a mill in the cost of service of the Council's debt, as compared with last year. On the other hand, a demand of about one mill will be made in respect of the cost of social services, pensions and hospital charges, new or increased, which have been placed upon the municipalities of the province, together with that involved in the maintenance of the general rate will be maintained at about the same figure as heretofore, the net result will probably be a reduction this year of two mills.

The by-law authorizing the raising of the money by taxation was given three readings, but will be liable to amendment in detail when it comes up for its final reading next Saturday, after the School Board estimates have come in.

Highway Costs Lower

The Department of Works wrote stating that the estimated cost of maintaining the Langford road primary highway during the coming year would be \$300, of which the Council will have to meet \$125. This is a considerable reduction on the amount spent last year.

Armstrong, Canada, past-president of the Kelowna and District Athletic Association, wrote mentioning the steps taken by both branches of the League to secure the elimination of the charge made upon the Municipality by Tranquille Sanatorium in respect of the maintenance of a veteran inmate, the cost of which was borne by the Dominion Government. The Clerk reported the inclusion in the Hospital Act of a special provision relieving municipalities of the fees of \$125 a day now payable in regard to their people who may be inmates of other hospitals.

A letter from the Department of Lands informed the Council that the difficulty which had arisen with William Beedle through his alleged failure to keep closed the gate leading from his homestead did not appear at the present time to call for action by them. If the homestead had failed to live up to the conditions of his holding, it would be needful to make a personal application to secure cancellation. Letters were also read from Gordon Lindner and from Horace Galbraith, solicitors for the parties in the litigation which has arisen; but the Council merely directed that this correspondence should be received and filed.

Crehan Mout and Co., auditors to the Council, wrote with reference to a request that they would consider a reduction in their present charges for professional work. While appreciating fully, said the firm, the difficult times through which the Council was passing at present, they held that in view of the increase in their work since their appointment was made, and other circumstances, the annual charge of \$175 was only reasonable and fair. This also was received and filed.

Ask Reduced Telephone Charges  
A circular letter from Nanaimo asked the Council to move the municipalities of B.C. to a movement through the Union of B.C. Municipalities, to secure a reduction of the British Columbia Telephone Company's scale of charges. The Council heartily concurred, with an endorsement that such revision should apply to all telephone charges in the province.

An application was received by interview with R. Curtis, for the sale to him of about ten acres of land purchased by R. Wilson on the north end of the Wollen property, and subsequently reverted to the Council, for non-payment of taxes. It appeared that another person had been given leave by a councillor to pasture his horse on the land. Mr. Curtis explained that he cleared up this land himself, believing it to be part of his own property, at the beginning, but lost it when the true story was run. The Reeve said it was a pity, but he had lost land himself in the same way. Mr. Curtis at the request of the Council submitted a written offer for the land, which will now be advertised in the usual way, and he was requested in the event of his purchasing it to make some arrangement himself with the temporary occupant.

## Latest Portrait of King George V



COMPLETED BY FREDERICK WILLIAM ELWELL  
King George has approved this latest portrait of himself, just completed by Frederick William Elwell, associate of the Royal Academy. It will hang in Holyrood castle, Edinburgh.

## SUMMERLAND AND KELOWNA TEAMS ARE VICTORIOUS

In Degree Competitions For Rebekahs and Oddfellows Held At Armstrong

Practically every point in the Okanagan Valley was represented at the degree competition for Rebekahs and Oddfellows at the Oddfellows' Hall, Armstrong, last Thursday afternoon, when Summerland's Oddfellows succeeded in defeating Vernon to win the district shield, and the Kelowna Rebekahs also triumphed over Vernon to win the district championship.

In two weeks time the Summerland team will compete with the pick of the Oddfellows in the adjoining district in the state of Washington, and it has been decided that whichever team wins will keep the shield at stake for good. Summerland has already won it several times, and the lodge there hopes to annex this coveted trophy permanently.

At Armstrong, on Thursday, the large number of visitors was given hospitable entertainment, the meeting ending with a dance in the evening.

The next district meeting, it is announced, will be held in the fall at Summerland.

## NO GREAT CHANGE IN NUMBER OF MEN IN RELIEF CAMPS

Small Number Coming and Going All the Time—Working On the Roads

The number of men employed in the district relief camps in this district remains practically constant, according to F. G. Hassard, superintendent. At the close of last week the total on the rolls for all camps was 174. "The men seem quite satisfied and industrious," states Mr. Hassard. "A small number are continuously getting out on their own, and their places are being filled by others who come into the district. The change, however, from week to week is not great."

## KIN CELEBRATE FOURTH BIRTHDAY BY ENTERTAINMENT

Phil Sterling, President, Traces History of Kin In This City

Celebrating the fourth "birthday" of the formation of their club in this city, the Kinsmen on Thursday evening of last week were hosts to their wives and lady friends at a merry party in the National ballroom.

Phil Sterling, President of the club, in a few introductory remarks traced the history of Kin in this city during the past four years, and to Wallace McTaggart devolved the honor of blowing out the four candles embedded in a splendid birthday cake, which was a feature of the bill-of-fare.

Dancing was enjoyed to the music of the Kinsmen Orchestra, and vocal solos, dancing acts, and instrumental numbers contributed by Mrs. C. B. Dent, Mrs. P. Briggs, Leigh Hughes, Doug Roland, George Jacques, C. Stevenson, Hector Richmond, and Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Selwyn were greatly enjoyed.

## MINISTER STATES WORK IS BEING DONE ON ROADWAY

Rather Hair-Raising Stretch Is Receiving Particular Attention

According to officials of the Public Works department in this city, it is not known as yet whether the Hon. R. W. Bruhn, Minister of Public Works, plans making a tour of inspection of the roads in this district, similar to other tours conducted in various parts of the province recently.

In the course of these other tours, following first hand inspection, the Minister confirmed reports that B.C. roads suffered more this spring from slides and wash-outs than for many years past.

Motorists of the Okanagan, however, awaited with keen interest the report of the Minister relative to the Fraser Canyon highway, for recently there has existed a storm of conflicting opinion regarding the condition of that road. Some have criticized the state of the road with vigor, while others have been equally emphatic in pronouncing the condition as good.

It is therefore interesting to note that the Vancouver Province of Thursday of last week, reporting the results of the Hon. Mr. Bruhn's inspection, states that:

"The rather hair-raising stretch between Spence's bridge and Ashcroft is receiving particular attention. A good deal of improvement work was done on this precipitous link last autumn."

## Two Celebrities In "Mata Hari"

When two famous stars are placed together in one picture it usually means war! But whatever explosives in the way of temperamental outbursts were expected when Greta Garbo and Ramon Novarro were teamed in "Mata Hari," the glamorous spy story playing at the Empress Theatre Friday and Saturday, May 13 and 14, failed to materialize, according to the picture.

Novarro had no hesitation in revealing that he and the exotic Swedish actress were somewhat inclined toward timidity when they first met. "I felt strange when we began working together and I imagine that Miss Garbo also felt some restraint. It is only natural when two people have never worked with each other before."

Ramon Novarro in an interview given out by Novarro following completion of the picture.

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## CUTWORM CONTROL BY POISON BRAN 10 LBS. TO ACRE

Bait Should Be Broadcast In the Cool of Evening Expert Declares

By E. R. Buckell  
Dominion Entomological Laboratory, Vernon, B.C., May, 1932

When possible, fall plowing should be done and field debris destroyed. For early spring application use the following formula: Bran 50 lb.; Paris Green, 1½ lb.; Molasses, 2 quarts; lemons, 6 fruits; water, 5 to 7 gallons.

Mix the bran and Paris green in their dry states, making sure that all bran-flakes are thoroughly coated with poison. This is best done by rubbing the bran well with the hands. If large quantities are to be made thin gloves had better be worn. Dissolve the molasses in 1 gallon of hot water, to which add the juice of the lemons. The rind and pulp may also be chopped up finely and added to the solution. Pour the liquid into the poisoned bran slowly, mixing and working the bran thoroughly as the liquid is being added. Then with the same care sufficient cold water to make a moist, crumbly mash that will separate easily when broadcast.

This bait should be broadcast in the cool of the evening at the rate of about 10 lb. of bran to the acre, before seeding or planting takes place, but not until the soil is sufficiently warm to induce plant and insect activity. In gardens containing rows of plants, the mixture should be scattered in the evening, thinly along the rows on either side, as soon as cutworm injury is noticed, or small piles of bait may be placed at intervals under pieces of board or shingles. On no account must the bait be allowed to touch young plants, as their death may result.

A simple formula for small gardens is: 1 quart of bran, 1 teaspoonful of Paris Green and 1 tablespoonful of molasses, with sufficient water to moisten the bran.

## CANDY MAKING DEMONSTRATED

Grindrod Women's Institute Members Enjoy Instructive Lecture By Teacher

GRINDROD, B.C., May 9.—At the regular monthly meeting of the Grindrod Women's Institute, a candy-making demonstration was given by Miss McAlpine of the Armstrong school staff, and two of her pupils. The demonstration was most interesting and instructive and there was a good attendance of the members and other interested persons.

Grindrod baseball team went to Armstrong on Sunday to meet the Armstrong team and came home, easy winners.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Wells, and son, of Vernon, spent the week end with relatives in Grindrod.

W. J. Monk, C. Anderson and C. Hanson returned home from Chase on Saturday.

## AMBITIOUS PLAN FOR GARDENING BY SMELTER WORKERS

Gives Them Advantage of Improving Their Position In Five Day Lay-Off

Within the next few days Tadanac and Warfield may see the institution of the most ambitious campaign of intensive cultivation that has been instituted in this district, says the Trail Times. Announcement to this effect was made following presentation of an offer of free use of all available land in those localities. The offer was presented by S. G. Blaylock, vice-president and general manager of the Consolidated Mining & Smelting company, to the Workmen's committee of the company. In announcing the offer Mr. Blaylock stated that the company would give its employees use of the land, would supply water, lime, fertilizer manure and seeds at no cost to employees, and would assist them in every reasonable way within its power that the project might be a success.

The idea is to supply all workmen, desirous of availing themselves of the opportunity, with a garden plot which they may cultivate to supply themselves and their families with vegetables and garden produce.

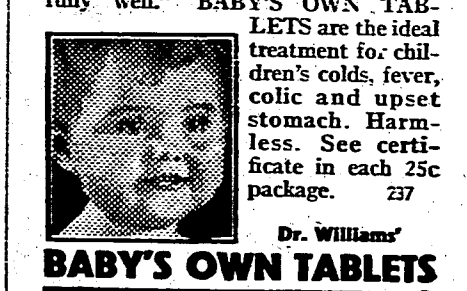
In addition to supplying employees free of charge with the requisites for successful gardening, the services of S. H. Hopkins, agriculturist with the fertilizer department, will be available to provide gardening information and advice.

The land will be divided into plots 50 feet by 100 feet. The men may select their own plots and if they are not to be too large for some families they may be divided with others in like circumstances.

The suggestion was made that the men organize in groups of four to take over four adjoining plots. Under the present scheme of working 15 days followed by a five-day lay-off, it was felt that some might be able to arrange that their leisure days fall in rotation so that at all times one of them would be able to devote his time to the co-operative garden tract 200 feet by 100 feet. By a co-operative effort to this kind much effective work might result.

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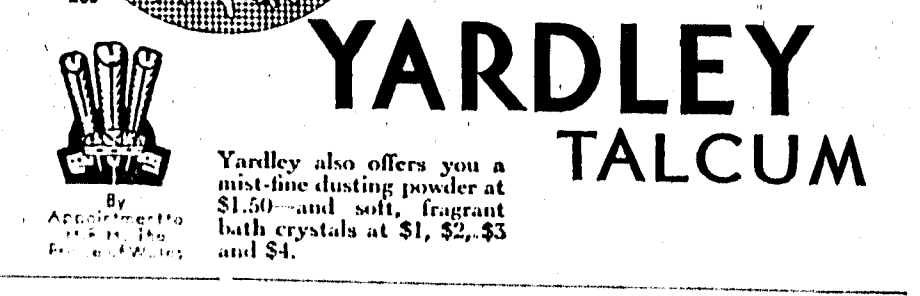


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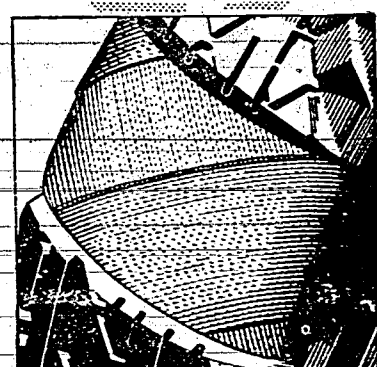
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# Okanagan Valley Sports

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## VERNON PLAYERS SHOW SPEED AND HITTING ABILITY

All-Star Baseball Line-up Administers Real Trimming To Kelowna Nine

Any doubts or misgivings held by local fans as to the prospective showing of Vernon's all-star baseball squad in the Interior League, which is scheduled to start next Sunday, were gloriously dissipated last Sunday afternoon at Polson Park when the locals banged out an 18-3 victory over the much touted Kelowna aggregation, in an eight-inning exhibition fixture.

George Sparrow and Larry Antilla did the twirling for the locals, the former yielding four scattered safeties in five innings, and the latter allowing only two hits in the three stanzas he was on duty. Morrow, in the pitcher's box for the visitors, was located eight times in six innings, and was finally relieved by Kline. The relief heaver, however, handed out six hits in his one lonely inning, in which the homesters chased in nine runs before calling it a day.

Vernon collected four runs in the opening stanza, and another four in the second, to put the game on ice from the drop of the hat. The Orchard City boys got a brace of tallies in the second, but they did not score again until the eighth, when the locals were hopelessly far ahead. The third, fourth, and fifth stanzas were scoreless, and revealed the best baseball of the day. In the sixth the homesters squeezed in one run, and Kline's deliveries to score as many counters as in all the other innings put together.

Harry Cross, Dick Murray, and Roy Sparks, aces on the Vernon roster, were the big men with the stick, each lacing out a homer.

In the last inning every local except one crossed the plate, with Thorlakson galloping across twice.

There were 18 men used on the Vernon line-up during the tussle, to test out all available material, and in this respect Vernon seems to be well supplied this year.

Score by innings:

	R	H	E
Kelowna	0	2	0
Vernon	4	4	0

Umpires: Ernie Bradley and Pattullo.

The opening league game is scheduled for Sunday next at Salmon Arm, and the locals are determined to get into the win column at the start. The batteries have not as yet been definitely decided upon.

Kelowna goes to Revelstoke for the other league game scheduled for the same day.

The first game in this city will be on the succeeding Sunday with Revelstoke furnishing the opposition at Polson Park. The complete schedule is as follows:

May 15—Vernon at Salmon Arm.  
Kelowna at Revelstoke.  
22—Salmon Arm at Kamloops.  
Revelstoke at Kelowna.  
29—Salmon Arm at Revelstoke.  
June 5—Kamloops at Revelstoke.  
Kelowna at Vernon.  
12—Kelowna at Salmon Arm.  
Vernon at Revelstoke.  
19—Vernon at Kelowna.  
Revelstoke at Kamloops.  
26—Kamloops at Salmon Arm.  
Revelstoke at Kelowna.  
3—Kelowna at Kamloops.  
Salmon Arm at Vernon.  
10—Revelstoke at Salmon Arm.  
Kamloops at Vernon.  
17—Vernon at Kamloops.  
Salmon Arm at Kelowna.

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## Largest Attendance Features Official Opening Vernon Greens

About Forty Visitors From Outside Points And Hosts Of Spectators

Splendid weather, with the best feature, the largest attendance ever remembered on such an occasion, marked the opening of the Vernon Lawn Bowling Club's greens last Thursday afternoon.

There were about 40 visitors from outside points in attendance shortly after 2:30 p.m. when Mayor Prowse, after being introduced by W. G. Drew, President of the club, officially opened the greens for play. There were over 100 playing throughout the course of the afternoon and evening, the greens, surroundings, benches, and club house being continuously full.

His Worship, in a brief speech, traced the development of the bowling club from its modest inception a few years ago, to the splendid reputation it has now established for itself, not only in the Interior, but also throughout the province.

Following this Mrs. Prowse laid the jack and the first two bowls, and the Mayor pulled the switch on the new lighting system.

The games during the afternoon were of a social and "get acquainted" nature, sides being chosen to defend President Prowse against Secretary W. L. Pearson. The result was a touch-and-go struggle with the President's side nosing out ahead by a 78-77 score.

In the evening 21-end team games were played between the rinks from the different towns.

The visiting teams from Armstrong and Kamloops showed well, the two from the former city winning both their encounters, while the Main Liners captured three of their four contests. Salmon Arm split even, winning and losing a game.

It was a bad day for the Vernon players, for the hosts on this occasion only won one of their six games. A. B. Godfrey being the successful skip in a mixed battle against Salmon Arm.

The detailed results were as follows:

**Ladies' Games**  
Vernon: Mrs. Pearson, skip. Mrs. Drew, Mrs. Ripley, Mrs. Gaythorpe. Kamloops: Mrs. Kendall, skip. Mrs. Sells, Mrs. Cox, Mrs. Botaculia. Score: Vernon, 13; Kamloops, 25.

**Men's Games**  
Armstrong: J. Wilson, skip. Lancaster, V. Marzo, James Wilson. Vernon: W. G. Drew, skip. E. Belgrave, R. A. Ferguson, W. Ripley. Score: Armstrong, 20; Vernon, 12.

Armstrong: Shepherd, skip. Hope, Ellis, Rigby. Vernon: R. Reid, skip. T. Martin, J. Kellaway, Capt. Logan. Score: Armstrong, 28; Vernon, 11.

Salmon Arm: Campbell, skip. Collier, Jeffrey, Day. Kamloops: Johnston, skip. Hyland, Wolfe, Pitcher. Score: Salmon Arm, 35; Kamloops, 17.

Salmon Arm: Mr. Bray, skip. Mrs. Bray, Miss June, Mr. Barr. Vernon: A. B. Godfrey, skip. Mrs. Hurlburt, Mrs. Sprague, A. S. Hurlburt. Score: Vernon, 24; Salmon Arm, 12.

Kamloops: Clements, skip. Crawford, Cox, Larson. Vernon: E. Pitman, skip. W. L. Pearson, H. Pout, Mrs. Pitman. Score: Kamloops, 21; Vernon, 15.

Kamloops: Dr. Gerry, skip. Dr. Archibald, Mrs. Hodgson, Bowes. Vernon: C. Griffin, skip. A. Woodhouse, L. Pointer, R. MacFarlane. Score: Kamloops, 29; Vernon, 15.

Then Vernon started its up-hill fight. Bill Gray worked his way in to put his team on the boards for the first time, combining neatly with Nick Carew.

The tying goal was a hair-raiser. Nick Carew being credited with the good work in a wild and woolly goal-mouth riot.

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## In Training



Holmes, the famous Yorkshire batsman, practises at the Headingly grounds in readiness for the coming English cricket season

## VERNON TIES UP MATCH TWO GOALS IN LAST QUARTER

Play in League Fixture Next Sunday At Salmon Arm—Armstrong At Kelowna

Entering the last quarter of play with Salmon Arm, with a 2-0 deficit, Vernon's peppy lacrosse squad made a characteristic finish to tie the count and all-but win just before the final whistle. In the opening fixture of the season at Polson Park last Sunday afternoon.

It was an exhibition tilt, and the tied up decision has whetted the appetites of the sharpshooters on both rosters for the opening league game which is scheduled for Salmon Arm next Sunday afternoon. At the same time Armstrong will be travelling to Kelowna.

The first quarter in Sunday's game found both goals undamaged but in the second Bedford got through to ring up the opening counter for Salmon Arm. Vernon was forcing the pace harder in the third stanza but the locals could not locate the hemp, and Jones beat Edwards to give the visitors a tidy lead.

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## WINFIELD NINE DOWNS RUTLAND

Visiting Baseball Squad Bangs Out 14-6 Victory In Revenge Fixture

RUTLAND, B.C., May 9.—The Winfield baseball team obtained its revenge on Sunday by defeating Rutland 14-6 at Rutland. Simpson was in good form for the winners and did not weaken until the seventh when the home team bunched hits, including a homer by Paul Bach to garner four of their six counters.

Rutland's hitters were off-color. Stafford forcing in two runs in the first frame with "walks." He steadied down, but in the fourth was batted out of the box, Bach taking over. The latter was unable to stem the slaughter and Stafford resumed again in the seventh. Only four Winfield batters struck out, while Simpson whiffed seven Rutland men.

Batteries were: Winfield, Simpson and Engler; Rutland, Stafford, Bach and Holtzki.

Score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Winfield	2	0	5	0	4	3	14		
Rutland	1	0	0	1	0	4	6		

Umpire: G. Reith.

**Hornets Beaten**  
Last Thursday evening Rutland defeated the Kelowna Hornets, 15 to 1, in a hectic contest. Taft was batted out of the box in the third inning and Dalton, who relieved him fared but little better. Thornton pitched a fine game for Rutland, striking out eight, and allowing only two hits in the five innings. Darkness prevented playing the usual seven inning contest.

Batteries: Hornets, Taft, Dalton and Neill; Rutland, Thornton and Kitchsch. Score by innings:

Hornets: 0 1 0 0 0—1  
Rutland: 1 4 8 2 x—15  
Umpire: P. Holitzki.

**Central League Schedule**  
Following is the Central Okanagan League schedule for this season, the home team named last:

May 12—Oyama vs. Hornets.  
Rambler vs. Rutland.

May 16—Oyama vs. Rambler.  
Rutland vs. Winfield.

May 19—Rambler vs. Hornets.  
Winfield vs. Oyama.

May 23—Winfield vs. Rambler.  
Hornets vs. Rutland.

May 28—Winfield vs. Hornets.  
Oyama vs. Rutland.

May 30—Hornets vs. Oyama.  
Rutland vs. Rambler.

June 2—Rambler vs. Oyama.  
Winfield vs. Rutland.

June 6—Hornets vs. Rambler.  
Oyama vs. Winfield.

June 9—Rambler vs. Winfield.  
Rutland vs. Hornets.

June 13—Hornets vs. Winfield.  
Rutland vs. Oyama.

Play-offs: June 20, 23 and 27.

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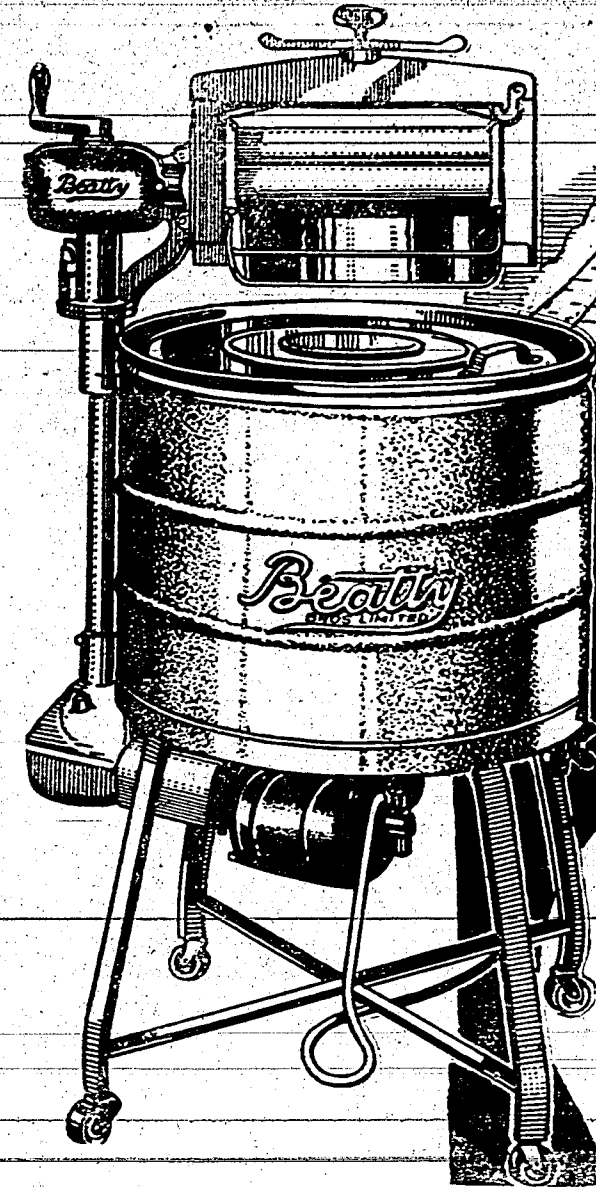
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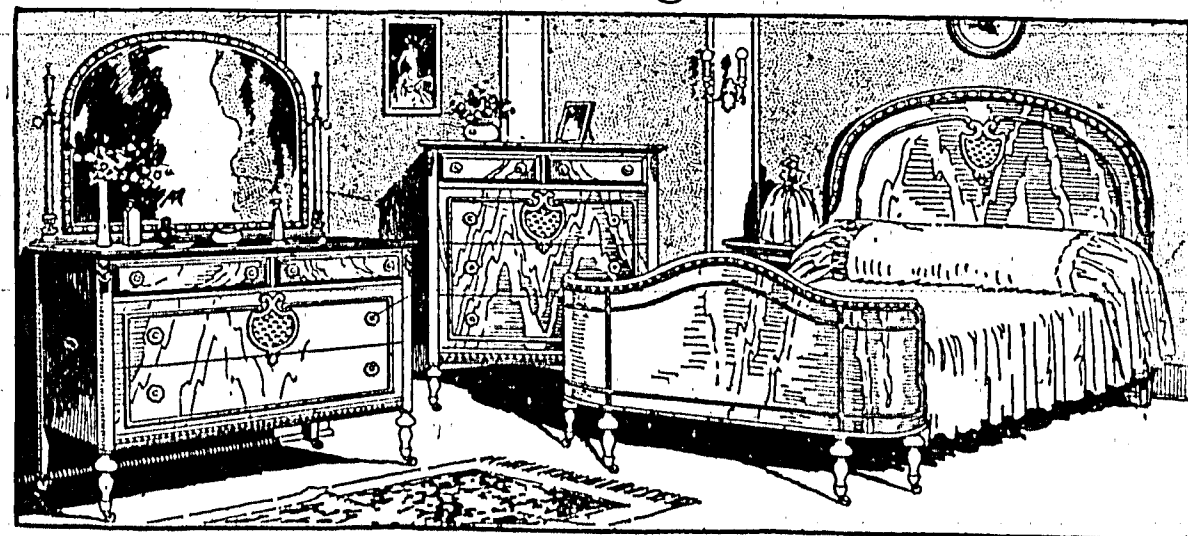
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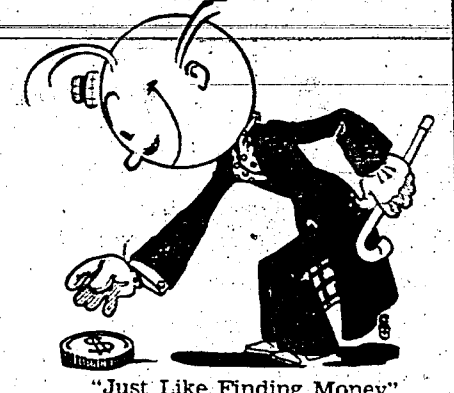
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## The Return of Oogopogo

By P. W. Luce  
From The Vancouver Daily Province

Oogopogo, pride of the Okanagan and British Columbia's most celebrated publicity agent, has started his season's activities. He made his 1932 debut near Okanagan Landing, with Mr. and Mrs. Lance Bulman occupying seats of honor in the reviewing stand on the C.P.R. wharf.

It is a bit of a pity that there were only two witnesses, but most of the other residents of the district were having tea at the time. Incidentally, it may be noted that Oogopogo never performs in the presence of a crowd. He prefers a small and select audience, and he plays in the spotlight for but a brief moment.

For the confusion of carping critics who dare doubt the existence of the venerable fish of the interior, it is well to point out that his wife was by his side when Mr. Bulman spotted Oogopogo. Under such conditions, a man does not see a sea serpent unless it is actually there.

The latest description of Oogopogo differs radically from some previous ones. This may not indicate accuracy of observation, but it is a sign of veracity. When descriptions agree too closely, suspect collusion. You'll be right nine times out of ten.

Earlier word pictures of Oogopogo invariably gave him a head like a sheep, sometimes embellished with a fringe of whiskers.

The Bulman report is that he has a "snout" very much like that of a dog—an ill-chosen term which most dogs would resent. No mention is made of whiskers.

Can it be that Oogopogo—the word means "the bearded one who jumps"—has survived by a close shave?

Very little has been seen of him since 1929. Perhaps, like the rest of us, he has had a hard time keeping his head above water.

Possibly Oogopogo has been sulking in seclusion because of doubts cast on his authenticity by jealous non-residents of the Okanagan, though he should be old enough by now to treat such scurrilous tales with the contempt they deserve. He should remember that no wine-drinking itinerant has ever reported seeing him disporting in the lake, though thousands have suffered eye-strain by persistent staring at the placid waters.

Those who have been privileged to witness Oogopogo in the flesh have all been men or women who can look the whole world in the face and proclaim the glorious truth without anyone daring to call their attention to an off-broken commandment.

Most unfairly, Oogopogo's existence has been denied by those least competent to judge of the facts. He has been accused of being an otter, a seal, a drifting log, a flock of ducks, a beaver, a family of muskrats, and an optical illusion.

No one will deny that all these have been seen in Okanagan Lake, and more particularly the optical illusion. But because a strong-minded man sees an otter and is sure it isn't Oogopogo, that does not dispose of dear old Ogo.

Negative evidence proves nothing, and sometimes even less than that.

Deny it who dares, Oogopogo lives in Okanagan Lake, and has lived there from time immemorial. He was there before the rosy apples, before the luscious peaches, before the fragrant onions, before the Little Theatre at Naramata, and before the C.P.R. paddle steamers. He was there long before prosperity came, and he will be there long after adversity has departed.

He is the oldest resident, the most venerable pioneer of them all, and he would be the beloved mascot of the Native Sons of British Columbia if that worthy organization had half the imagination credited to Oogopogo's most ardent admirers.

Retreating from his visit to the wharf at Okanagan Landing, our beloved sea serpent described an almost complete circle, clearly visible as a broad wash on the surface of the lake.

It was the letter "O" for the day—perhaps for the season.

"O" is all the poor fish can spell of his name, but that is enough. Even though written on water, it will endure for evermore.

## English Children Go To Australia



TO ATTEND FARM SCHOOLS  
Mr. Latham, deputy premier of Australia, wishing good luck to one of the youngsters, a member of a group of emigrants who are going to Australia to attend Fairbridge Farm schools under the auspices of the Child Emigration Society, London.

## SEED BEDS ARE IN GOOD CONDITION FOR GERMINATION

Report From Prairie Provinces  
—Little Done On Land In Maritimes

Agricultural operations in every Province of the Dominion have been delayed by a cold wet Spring and in consequence the planting and seeding of the principal crops will probably not be completed until from ten days to three weeks later than was the case last year, when field work was ahead of the average. This is the information in the crop report by the Bank of Montreal issued last week.

In the Prairie Provinces the land prepared for seeding at the opening of the season is estimated at 20,500,000 acres, which compares with 19,000,000 acres last year. Moisture conditions are better than for the past three years and the seed bed is in good condition for germination in all areas.

Rain and snow, which delayed field work for about ten days, has made seeding somewhat later than usual, but wheat seeding is now general, being 30 per cent. completed in Alberta, 35 per cent. in Saskatchewan and 75 per cent. in Manitoba. Indications point to a decrease in wheat acreage and an increase in the acreage of coarse grains, seeding of which has hardly commenced in Quebec Province.

Spring ploughing has been done, but recent rains and milder weather have been beneficial. Work on the land is just commencing in Eastern Ontario and in the remainder of the Province seeding is general and the land working up in a very arable condition. In the Maritime Provinces little or no work has yet been done on the land, and seeding will be later than usual.

In British Columbia, where there is an unusual amount of moisture in the ground, ploughing and seeding are well under way with the season three weeks later than usual. Details follow:

**Prairie Provinces**  
Alberta: Northeastern area—Wheat seeding is about 15 per cent. completed. The seed bed is in excellent condition with ample moisture. Southeastern area—Soil conditions for seeding are more satisfactory than for some years. About 40 per cent. of the wheat seeding is completed. Western area—Wheat seeding is now being assumed and 25 per cent. is estimated to have been completed. Sugar beet seeding is about 10 per cent. completed.

Saskatchewan: Northern area—Seeding of wheat which commenced about April 18th was delayed by wet weather and is now 25 per cent. completed. No coarse grains have been sown. Moisture is ample and the acreage of all crops is estimated at about the same as in 1931. Southern area—Wheat seeding, which commenced April 15, was delayed ten days by wet weather, but operations are now general. Of the wheat crop 40 per cent. is seeded with sufficient moisture to ensure germination and check soil drifting.

Manitoba: Wheat seeding is expected to be completed about May 10. Seeding of coarse grains has commenced. Present moisture conditions are good in all districts. Much seeding is being done on well prepared land and indications are for some increase in both wheat and coarse grains acreage.

## SCHOOL GIRLS ENJOY PICNIC IN KEDLESTON

KEDLESTON, B.C., May 9.—Some of the St. Michael's School pupils, taking advantage of the fine weather, had a picnic in the Kedleston district last Saturday.

Trucks have been hauling wood from the district recently, but the most novel thing was a horse on a truck being hauled to Vernon.

Deer have been seen here lately, on the road.

## CALGARY LIVESTOCK

CALGARY, Alta.—Beef receipts were heavier during the past week, with the quality good and buying active. Prices were a shade stronger. Steers, choice heavy, \$4.75 to \$5.00; choice light, \$5.00 to \$5.25; good, \$4.50 to \$4.75; medium, \$4.00 to \$4.50; common, \$3.50 to \$4.00. Choice heifers, \$4.50 to \$4.75; good, \$3.75 to \$4.25. Choice cows, \$3.00 to \$3.50; good, \$2.50 to \$2.75; medium, \$2.00 to \$2.25; common, \$1.25 to \$1.75. Choice bulls, \$1.75 to \$2.00; medium, \$1.25 to \$1.50. Choice light calves, \$5.00 to \$5.50; common, \$2.00 to \$2.50. Sheep, yearlings, \$3.50 to \$4.00; ewes, \$2.00 to \$2.25; lambs, \$4.50 to \$5.75. Hogs, butchers, \$3.55; select, \$4.05; butchers, \$3.05.

## DEER KILLED BY AUTOMOBILE IN TRINITY VALLEY

H. Worth's Car Collides With Buck—Five Deer Noted On Main Highway

TRINITY VALLEY, B.C., May 7.—While some of Trinity Valley young men were bound for Vernon in H. Worth's car last Friday night, they ran into a buck on the main road from Lumby to Vernon. The impact of the car against the buck was so great that the animal received fatal injuries and was quite unable to move.

It was put out of misery and the game warden notified. The car also received slight injuries.

The party reported seeing five deer in succession in the course of a mile or two on this part of the road.

V. L. E. Miller was in Vernon on a business trip last week.

Mrs. T. Lummerding is at present on a holiday with her two small children, at Lumby.

All are pleased to hear of Mrs. Harry Worth's recovery from her recent illness and that she is now out of the hospital.

The valley looks beautifully green and flourishing at present. Everyone is busy at garden work and judging from the seeding and planting going on there should be record flower and vegetable gardens this year, not to mention hay and grain crops.

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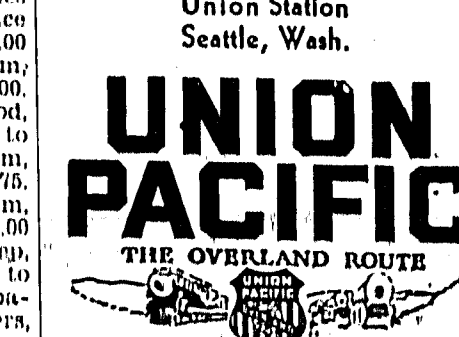
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On Sunday last two church services were held in the School House. The Anglican service at 3 p.m. and a special "Mothers' Day" service in the evening by the United Church.

Miss Dorothy Duffy, of Seattle, is the guest for a few weeks of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Galan.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Verity were Kelowna visitors who spent last Sunday visiting in Lavington.

Lee Handy, of the West Canadian Hydro Electric Co., was a business visitor to Lavington a couple of days last week.

B. Cotton and T. Middlemas are confined to the Vernon Jubilee Hospital.

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## Crowning of Vernon's May Queen Colorful

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with her own hands, she crowned Queen Lillian. The latter invoked loyalty from all her subjects within Vernon, Leavenworth, and Goldstream, and the marches of the same, and the hearty applause that greeted her coronation augured well for the success of her reign.

### Mayor Presents Address

"The festive season of May is with us again," said Mayor Prowse, reading an illuminated address which he presented to Queen Lillian, "the season when all nature endeavors to manifest itself in all its glory, and we, your devoted subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen and citizens of Vernon, have assembled for your coronation as Queen of the May, and to pay a tribute of our love and esteem."

Following this presentation, the little flower girl, Virginia Kinnard, gave to the new queen her royal ring.

"This ceremony, while pleasing, has yet a deeper significance," declared Dr. K. C. MacDonald, in the course of a brief speech.

The annual May Queen coronation, he remarked, must necessarily impress upon the young a sense of responsibility, that in later times may be of good stead to them when they seek to take their place as worthy citizens in the life of their province and of the Dominion.

"The ceremony is therefore valuable," he continued, "and in times like these, when economic conditions are so chaotic, it is gratifying to realize that the Women's Institute is seeking to continue this practice. It is an occasion which lends itself to the development of character."

**Presents Governor-General's Medal**  
Hamilton Lang, Chairman of the Board of School Trustees, then spoke briefly, and presented to Miss Muriel Smith the Governor-General's medal for her distinguished marks made in the High School entrance examination last year. In replying, Miss Smith paid tribute to the assistance of her teacher, H. D. Pritchard, who was, she said, "to a great extent responsible for my success."

**Medals For Proficiency**  
Medals for proficiency were then awarded by E. B. Townrow, President of the Boy Scout Association. Vera Drew, of the Brownies; Hilda Both, of the Girl Guides; Senior Sister Bert Medcalf, of the Wolf Cubs; and Patrol Leader Saxon Peters, of the Boy Scouts, were those who were honored.

With reference to Patrol Leader Peters' award, Mr. Townrow remarked that he had saved a man from drowning on the occasion of the Scout jamboree at Osoville last year.

George Heggie, M.L.A., who was to have given the main address of the evening, was unavoidably prevented from attending, so that the ceremony was concluded by the singing of the National Anthem.

The royal party, with distinguished escorts, then left the Grand March prior to the evening's dancing to the music of the Vogue Orchestra, which was greatly enjoyed until a late hour by a large crowd.

Interposed amongst the various dances were contributions to the program by the dancing pupils of Miss Marguerite Dean, the young artists being Betty Lewis, Gloria McKay, Joan Oliver, Nora Stockton, and Dorothy Wyatt.

The particularly enjoyable program throughout the entire evening was arranged by painstaking efforts on the part of the executive of the Women's Institute, who sponsored the occasion the officers being Mrs. W. D. McKenzie, Mrs. L. L. Stewart, Mrs. B. R. LeBlond, Mrs. Adam Grant, and Mrs. Ralph Pearson.

### GRANDVIEW BENCH HOME DESTROYED

GRANDVIEW BENCH, B.C., May 9.—Fire which broke out in the kitchen, gradually spreading to the rest of the house, completely destroyed the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lidstone here, early on Tuesday morning of last week. The blaze took good hold before it was discovered, and it was impossible to save the premises. Members of the family consider themselves lucky, in fact, to have escaped personal injury.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Crandlenire, F. Crandlenire and the Misses Mae and Melvina Turner, were among Vernon visitors last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Metcalfe came in from Winfield last Tuesday and spent the night with friends here, returning to Winfield on Wednesday.

## Scottish Duke to Visit Canada



His Grace The Duke of Montrose, C.B., C.V.O., V.D., Honorary President of the Scottish Trade Mission which is coming to Canada next month in the Anchor-Donaldson liner "Letitia."

### RUTLAND CONCERT WELL SUPPORTED

Nine Organizations Unite In The Sponsoring Of Successful Community Affair

RUTLAND, B.C., May 9.—The Community Hall was the scene of a very successful concert and dance last Friday evening. The affair was under the joint auspices of no less than nine different organizations in the community and the object in view was the raising of sufficient funds to pay off a debt incurred in re-wiring of the hall for the installation of electric light from the West Kootenay Power Co.

The object was more than attained, owing to the wholehearted support given to the entertainment by the people of the community, over 200 people attending.

J. R. Beale, secretary of the hall committee acted as chairman for the concert.

Following is the program in detail: Overture, R.A.D.S. orchestra; play, "The Dear Departed"; members of the Rutland Amateur Dramatic Society; vocal solo, "Back Answers," A. K. Bond; Dutch dance and duet, Laura Kitsch and Helen Urquhart; selection, R.A.D.S. orchestra; vocal solo, "Collier Herd," Miss A. E. Dalzell; recitation, "My Beasty Eyeglass," C. H. Bond; accordion solo, J. Davidson; vocal solo, "Down Here," Miss F. McDiarmid; selection, R.A.D.S. orchestra.

Refreshments were served by the members of the Women's Institute, assisted by the C.G.I.T., after the concert. After supper the benches and chairs were cleared away by the Boy Scouts and a dance was held, the boys of the Athletic Club taking charge, with "Mac" McLeod as M.C. In addition to the usual waltzes, one step and fox trots, several old time dances, including the French minuet, eightsome reel and heel and toe polka were danced. Everyone had a thoroughly good time and it was early in the morning before the "home waltz" was played. The music was all voluntary, most of the musicians being local. During the evening the Girl Guides sold candy, adding some \$7.00 to the funds of the hall by this means. Although the admission fee was only 30c for adults and 15c for children, over \$50 was added to the Community Hall funds by the affair.

### Softball League Formed

A softball league has been organized here to be known as the Black Mountain League. Five teams have been entered, and games will be on Wednesday evenings and Sundays.

The first games were played yesterday, the "Young Roman Catholic" team defeating A. W. Gray's "Adanacs," 14-8, while the "Tollers" defeated a team from the north end of Rutland by 26-21. This team have still to choose their name. The other entry is from the district of Ellison. The league will run for two months.

### PYTHIAN SISTERS ENJOY PROGRAM

Entertainment To Commemorate Mother's Day Is Arranged By Enderby Lodge Members

ENDERBY, B.C., May 9.—The local Temple of the Pythian Sisters held a Mothers' Day entertainment on Thursday evening in the Knights of Pythias Hall, to which the Knights and friends of the sisters were invited.

A most enjoyable program of music, solos, and recitations was the feature of the evening. Those who contributed to the evening's enjoyment were Mrs. Aldin, Mrs. Lucas and Mrs. MacPherson, the Misses F. and H. Ulas, J. Polson, and M. Cameron, and Messrs. C. Wheeler, A. D. Glen, Wambsey, Kilner, Gregg, C. Johnston and H. Stevenson. The chairman was R. Coltart.

A. D. Glen returned on Thursday to Enderby from the coast where he and Mrs. Glen spent the last two years. Mrs. Glen is visiting relatives in Victoria for a few days before returning. Mr. Glen says no place is more beautiful or better than this Valley.

Irwin Wilson moved his family from Vernon to Enderby on Wednesday. W. Bousfield and A. Woodrow left Monday night for the Power River district where they expect to remain for some time.

Mrs. Hawkins and her daughter, Miss Elsie, left for Vancouver on Monday morning to attend the wedding of Mrs. Hawkins' niece, Miss Blanchard. Miss Hawkins will be Miss Blanchard's bridesmaid.

The lecture that was to be given on "Does Crime Pay?" by Silent Biddle, ex-convict, in the K. of P. Hall on Friday evening was so poorly attended that it was called off and the money returned to those who were present.

## OKANAGAN GROCERY CATERS TO THE CHILDREN'S TRADE

Winnipeg and Western Grocer Tells of Free Admission To Theatre

All good grocers consider important the cultivation of goodwill of children. They show them the same courtesy and attention that is bestowed upon their elders. They do not underestimate the little folks.

However, D. A. McBride, manager of The Okanagan Grocery, Ltd., Vernon, B.C., does more than welcome the children in a cheery manner; for every so often he shows his appreciation of the children's trade in a tangible manner.

As an illustration: The Empress Theatre in Vernon advertised before Easter that boys and girls of that city would be admitted to the same courtesy and attention that is bestowed upon their elders. They do not underestimate the little folks.

How many took advantage of the offer? We'll let Mr. McBride tell the story.

"While we were a little disappointed at the number taking advantage of our offer, we realize that this was due, possibly, to the large number of people having poultry, and also to the very low price of eggs at the time."

"For instance, one customer phoned in asking us to send five dozen eggs to the theatre and charge to her account."

"We recall another instance where boys and girls not only brought eggs from home, but called into the store on their way to the show and purchased more."

"Seventy-five children took advantage of our free offer and the Vernon Jubilee Hospital benefited to the extent of some one hundred and seven dozen eggs."

Courteous treatment to the little folks doesn't cost a cent and reaps rich rewards, for children will want to purchase anything their parents need from the store where they are welcomed—and they won't hesitate to tell others about the store either—Winnipeg and Western Grocer.

Mrs. Bert Byers and T. Byers, were visitors to Lumbly last Saturday.

**Horse Races Planned**  
The Community Club is busy just now planning for July 1 celebration, and this year will see horse racing a big feature. The track has been improved and everything possible is being done to make Dominion Day a success.

**Monashee Travel Difficult**  
A. O. Holmes and M. Doran came down from Barnes Creek mining district last week and report four feet of snow around Monashee and bad slides of rocks and trees making travelling over the road somewhat difficult.

Mrs. Pauline Sigale, of Mabel Lake, returned to her home recently from the Coast.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Warner, of Mabel Lake, left last week for Penticton.

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## FALKLAND JUNIOR CALF CLUB FORMED

E. Swift To Be Manager, With A. Gotobed President and L. Blair Secretary

FALKLAND, B.C., May 9.—A large crowd gathered in the hall on Friday evening last when the Falkland and District Community Association held their monthly dance. The Knights of Note orchestra were in attendance as usual and a good time was the report of all who were present. During the supper interval a solo was sung by Miss Queenie Phillips, and a duet by Miss Doris Swift and Arthur Gotobed.

On Monday evening a meeting was held in the hall for the purpose of organizing a Junior Calf Club. Quite a number were present on this occasion and officers were elected. E. Swift was chosen to act as manager of the club, A. Gotobed is President and L. Blair Secretary.

A meeting of the Falkland and District Community Association was held on Tuesday evening when the business on hand was the revising of the prize list, quite a number of alterations being made. An attractive list of prizes have already been promised for this year.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Anglican church held their monthly meeting on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. P. Ord.

Mrs. C. B. Welch and daughter, of Vancouver, are Falkland visitors at present.

Mrs. H. A. Wiseman, of Vernon, spent the week end here.

George Simpson is a Vancouver visitor this week, spending a short time at his home there.

Miss Sybil Potter, of Vernon, spent the week end here.

Miss Amy Karyula returned last week from Vancouver and will spend some time at her home at Paxton Valley.

C. M. Parker spent the week end visiting friends at Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. A. Warren, of Vernon, were visitors here on Friday.

Mothers' Day was observed by a special service in the United Church on Sunday evening, also by the morning service in Christ Church.

A Wallace and E. Swift were Kamloops visitors on Thursday.

## GARDENS PRESENT BEAUTIFUL SIGHT

Purple and White Lilacs in Full Bloom At Summerland—Many Visitors

SUMMERLAND, B.C., May 9.—The lilacs in the gardens here are a beautiful sight now, both purple and white being in full bloom with very fine large bunches of flowers.

At the Experimental Station the gardens are very attractive, the early tulips and flowering shrubs making a splendid show. The forsythia is just about finished blooming, but from now on there will be a succession of shrubby flowers, much enjoyed by those who can make a motor trip to the Experimental Station.

The rocky, in which are many native shrubs and plants, found on the hills in this vicinity, is an interesting spot to visit and is at its best from May 1 to June 30.

The iris will be in flower, over an extended period due to the number of varieties, and they will be showing from about May 24 to June 15.

The bowling green is in wonderful shape and Mr. Hornby is willing to discuss with anyone contemplating the making of a lawn, the method he used in building it.

Quite a number of cars were at the Station on Sunday, the visiting motorists enjoying the blossoms on tulip and shrub.

No Tulip Show

Instead of the spring tulip show this year, which has annually been held by the Horticultural Society, there is to be an inspection of many of the local gardens in about a week.

The members of the Horticultural Society will drive to the gardens, and at one of the member's houses, which will be selected shortly, those who wish to show specimens for the Tulip Cup will exhibit them. The same procedure will be pursued for the iris competition.

Instead of frequent shows being held as in other years the Horticultural Society deems it advisable to hold only the fall show this year.

The tulips about the cenotaph are making an excellent display. These were set last fall as a result of the efforts of the Horticultural Society.

Fishermen visiting Fish Lake last Sunday were a good deal disappointed.

## Another Friend For Jack Miner



TAGGED CANADA GOOSE RELEASED ON SANCTUARY  
Playing tag with old Mother Nature. Jack Miner, Canada's famous bird lover, releases a tagged Canada goose at the Kingsville sanctuary. Some of his marked birds have been reported as far north as Baffinland, 3,000 miles away.

## CENTRE LADIES ARRANGE HOME PRODUCE SALE

Many Features On Interesting Program For Today—Under Auspices Women's Institute

OKANAGAN CENTRE, B.C., May 9.—Today, Thursday, the Women's Institute are holding the annual Home Produce sale. A home-made rug will also be raffled. Other interesting items on the program are travelogues by Miss McLennan and Mrs. Goldie.

Mrs. J. Gledhill returned from the coast where she went to see her daughter, Ellen, who has now received her B.A. degree, specializing in mathematics and latin. Miss Gledhill attended Public School here where she passed her High School entrance. She then attended High School at St. Michael's, Vernon, where she matriculated and has since been at U.B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Goldie spent the week end in Penticton.

A meeting of the Okanagan Centre Spray Zone was held in the Community Hall on Monday evening. Another meeting will be held in the near future as Mr. Evans, District Horticulturist, was unable to attend Monday's meeting to address the orchardists.

The weather was so cold that water splashing on the boats froze where it struck. In consequence the trout did not bite as they did last year when May 1 was a very warm day. Perhaps not more than 75 were taken whereas last year on the opening day there were some 900 fish caught.

Fish Lake was covered by a cloud of fog till well on in the morning and the crowd who were there were none too comfortable.

The largest catch was fifteen. The majority were rewarded with one or two apiece.

Bank Employee Honored  
H. G. Fisher, who has been attached to the West Summerland branch of the Bank of Montreal for the past twelve years, was recently presented with a handsomely engraved silver tray by his associates on the staff, former members of the staff and friends at other branches.

Mr. Fisher is retiring from active duty after a period of over 43 years' service at different branches of the bank.

Accompanying the tray was an address expressing regret at his departure and extending to him the best wishes for the future.

George Kling has been appointed local fire Marshal, his appointment going into effect on Tuesday.

Students Successful  
Several Summerland names are included in the lists of students passed from their classes at the University of B.C. F. Gordon Nixon, of Summerland, received his B.S.A. with second class honors in electrical engineering. Ian Campbell passed his Bachelor of Commerce degree. Miss Fraser Macneil received her B.A. Bill Andrew received partial standing in Agriculture. Miss Jean Munn returned this week from U.B.C. She was successful in her studies and was awarded second class honors in the arts course.

Tennis Club Officers  
At the annual meeting of the Summerland Tennis Club held last week, the following officers were elected for the season: A. G. Duncan, president; F. A. Miller, vice-president; and J. A. Theed, secretary-treasurer. An executive committee of four to be increased to six was also elected.

An active drive for members is to be undertaken and it is hoped many younger players will be added to the membership. It is expected that the courts will be in shape for play by this week.

Weather Records  
George Johnson of the Experimental Station gives the following weather records for the month of April.

The precipitation last month totalled .95 of an inch while the average for past 10 years shows but .72 of an inch. The 16-year average mean temperature is 47.64, and for the past month it was 49.4 degrees. The highest temperature was 71 degrees and the lowest, which was recorded on April 20, was 29 degrees.

In the bank of sunshine the gauge shows that the rains caused some extra cloudy weather for the average of the past 16 years is 191.9 hours, and for April last but 173.7 hours of sunshine were recorded.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Thorburn with visiting friends from Vancouver, motored to Kelowna on Sunday, where Mr. Thorburn's brother lives.

Mrs. J. Butterfield moved last week from Summerland to B. Bartholomew's bungalow on Jones Flat, West Summerland.

Special services were held in the churches on Mothers' Day.

## A.B.C. DAIRIES ANNUAL REPORTS SHOW PROGRESS

Number of Shippers Has Increased From 68 to 83—Oppose Marketing Grades

ARMSTRONG, B.C., May 10.—Ben Thornton, in the chair at the annual meeting of the Armstrong A. B. C. Co-operative Dairies Association, in presenting a report of the directors upon the business of this cream haulage company during the year ending with March 31, 1932, stated:

"We have pleasure in submitting our annual report to be able to say that during the past year the Association has operated successfully. The number of shippers has increased from 68 to 83, and the weight of cream handled from 210,651 pounds to 287,674 pounds. In consequence our statement shows a surplus of income over expenses of \$572.29, which we would recommend for disposal as follows: dividend on shares, at 7 per cent., \$29.40; reserve, \$572.29; refund to creamery, \$485.66. Relations with the Salmon Arm Creamery have been on a very friendly basis throughout the year."

A statement of accounts, audited by A. J. Fisher, followed.

The Secretary, Robert Wood, explained in reply to a question that the refund to the Salmon Arm creamery was made because it represented the difference between the sum paid to haulers and the actual cost to them of hauling on a mileage basis. They were both co-operative associations, he said, and as the A. B. C. had made provision for all of its own expenses and payment of interest on the shares held by members, there was no object in piling up a surplus.

An honorarium of five dollars having been voted to the auditor, who was re-appointed, the directors retiring, B. Thornton, H. D. Hamilton, W. T. Hayhurst and R. Wood were re-elected en bloc. G. F. Marshall retiring by his own request.

Avoid Big Surpluses  
R. J. Skelton, manager of the Salmon Arm Creamery, said the business of the A. B. C. had been very well run. It was not every business this year that could show a surplus. He promised a return from the refund, by Salmon Arm, to every shipper connected with it, in the shape of better prices for cream and improved service which he put forward for the marking of grade upon all butter prints sold, he said that personally he was opposed to that, as it would involve new legislation and the employment of hundreds of inspectors to supervise its observance. He did not hold with those who would prevent the entry of butter to this province from the prairies through a "buy-at-home" campaign.

With regard to the complaint that the Salmon Arm creamery had been paying only 17 cents for cream to the shipper while they were charging him 22 cents a pound for butter, Mr. Skelton said that the actual average price paid for butter was 22 cents, taking into account the loss of 10% for that sold in Vancouver, was about 22 cents. At times of high butter prices, the profit made on the overrun was sufficient to meet all their expenses, but it failed to do so when prices received were so low.

Price Manipulated  
Replying to further questions, Mr. Skelton agreed that the price of butter had probably been manipulated in some way recently, most of the supply in Canada having got into a few hands. It should never have gone to the high price that it did for a brief period.

Claims No Truckage Duplication  
Replying to a question as to a report of an interline dispute between the Vernon and Salmon Arm creameries, Mr. Skelton said he did not think that he saw anything in The Vernon News report about amalgamation of truckage.

In Saskatchewan, some seventy-nine million acres, or nearly one-half the total area of the province, are still unsurveyed.

In a small western town there was a feud who had the reputation of not being very bright. People there had fun with him several times a day by placing a dime and a nickel on the open palm of his hand and telling him to take his pick of the two. In each case the lad would pick the nickel, and then the crowd would laugh and guffaw.

A kind-hearted woman asked him one day, "Don't you know the difference between a dime and a nickel?" "Don't you know the dime, though smaller, is worth more?" "Sure, I know it," he answered, "but they wouldn't try me out on it any more if I ever took the dime."

## RATEPAYERS ASK LOWER SALARIES

Penticton Organization Requests Cuts In Amounts Paid Municipal School Employees

PENTICTON, B.C., May 9.—The executive committee of the local Ratepayers' Association met the council last Wednesday evening at the Municipal Chambers to present some resolutions for consideration. The resolutions were passed at a recent ratepayers' meeting.

Chief amongst them was one asking for a substantial reduction in salaries of municipal employees and school teachers.

The proposed cuts were: salaries, \$100 to \$125, 15 per cent.; over \$150, 20 per cent.; over \$150, 25 per cent.

Other resolutions advocated the use of British manufactured goods only in the public service; the placing of the finance chairmanship on the council on a "more satisfactory basis" with the request that the councillor nominated by the reeve either accept the position or tender his resignation; and that a reduction in staff in the meter reading branch of the electric light department be made.

The resolutions were signed by E. Foley-Bennett, president; Oscar Matson, vice-president; G. R. Guest, G. Morrison, W. H. Adams, W. Collins, C. W. Stewart, executive committee; and W. B. Carter, secretary. These, with H. Barnard and J. Sinclair formed the deputation that waited on the council.

The conference was heated and some of the participants indulged in personalities as well as business. Most points were merely discussed with no agreement being reached, the council announcing that it will render its decision later. The ratepayers' executive pressed for early rulings as they wish to report back to a ratepayers' meeting to be held May 20.

Rotarians Elect Officers  
C. J. McKeen is president of the Rotary Club for the season of 1932-33. The naming of the vice-president was left till a future meeting. Percy E. Knowles was again elected secretary. The annual inter-club Rotatrans meeting is to be held at Penticton this year, the date to be Monday, May 30. Clubs invited to attend will be Revelstoke, Kamloops, Vernon and Kelowna.

The Rotary Club here recently voted the sum of \$40 towards the Valley "Preventorium" to be established at Kelowna.

With a large following and ideal weather the South Okanagan League opened its season here Sunday when Oroville, Wash., triumphed over the local team, 9 runs to 7. Reeve Oliver pitched the first ball and W. Martin, league president, of Oroville, caught, or rather tried to catch the reeve's offerings.

The big support local fans gave the first home game deserved a better brand of baseball. Errors and dumb playing contributed largely to Penticton's defeat. Cousins on the mound hurling better ball than Ramsay and Kernan, his Oroville rivals, as well as playing in most of the local counters, bating in most of the very much class and it looks as though Oliver and Sumnerland will prove the league threats.

Gould, of the latter town, is pitching great ball as is attested by his 18 strike out, one hit, shut-out game against Penticton last Thursday. It was a close contest, 3-0, and a mighty contrast to Sunday's encounter. Oliver has the reliable "Iron Man" McLean, and is greatly benefited by his presence on the mound as their two league victories over Oroville show. Penticton occupies the cellar berth but should climb out rapidly when the boys come out of their trance and play baseball.

WEDDING BELLS  
Gellatly-McInnes  
A quiet, pretty wedding, was held in the United Church at Kelowna, on Saturday, May 7, when the Rev. A. K. McArthur, united in marriage Barbara Margaret, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. McInnes, of Kelowna, and James Gellatly, youngest son of Mrs. E. Gellatly, of Westbank. The bride, dressed in white satin and net, carried a bouquet of lilies and fern, and entered the church on the arm of her father, Mrs. Bob McInnes, of Salmon Arm, was the matron of honor and John McInnes, youngest brother of the bride, supported the groom.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The happy couple have taken up their residence at Glenmore.

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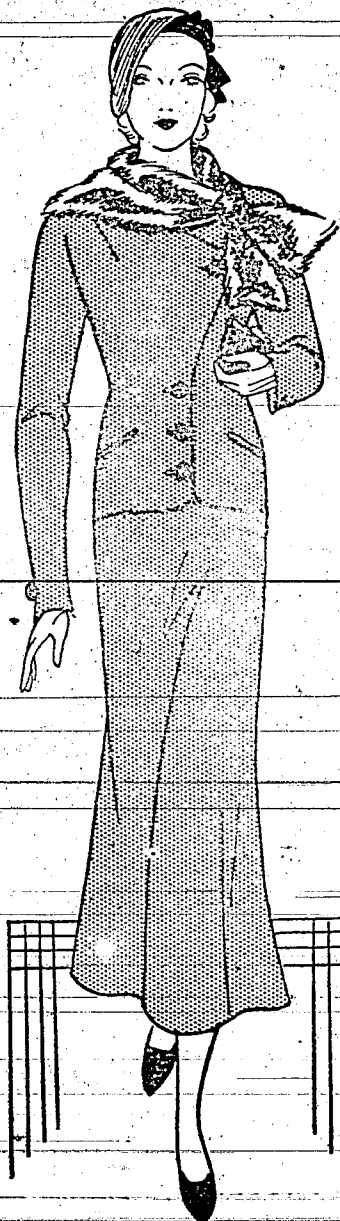
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